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## YEARLING MARKET

The annual trek to Keeneland for the summer sales has begun and with it comes the inevitable predictions for prices and averages. Will Keeneland's 443 yearlings bring higher averages than Saratoga's 410? Will the French horses being sold on July 30th average as high as our American ones? Will, in short, the average of the two big sales, Keeneland and Saratoga, reach the \$6,263 mark set last year or will this figure top \$7,000? It is anyone's guess in which learned statisticians like the Blood Horse's Charles J. Koch will vie with the more humble "Betcha \$1.00," hazard a guess attitude of the stable swipe or racing fan.

Whether it is an 8% boost or a 7% decline, breeders are pretty certain to profit handsomely by the sales this year and if for no other reason or more astute theorizing than the incredible figures chalked up by two great horses, Styrie at near the million mark and Citation in his three-year-old year at half a million. Such targets as these make the most conservative buyers willing to raise their sights, add an atomic touch to the auctioneer's gavel, and give the gambler better than an oil well in which to invest his optimism. That horsemen generally are in a buying mood, expect a strong market is best illustrated by the record purchase price of \$500,000 given for \*Alibhai, but recently syndicated, for the highest price ever given for a horse.

Coupled to this transaction is the change of hands for Challedon to the tune of \$250,000 and a list, published by Triangle Publications which showed horses bred by 10 breeders had won over 9 million dollars. Such figures guarantee a good sale unless Joe Stalin intervenes between now and sale dates. If he restrains himself, there seems to be no reason why George Swinebroad, Brownie Leach, Tyson Gilpin and Humphrey Finney et als cannot persuade owners to spend an average of \$7,000 for 883 yearlings to be offered in Kentucky and Saratoga.

Both sales companies are pushing their respective dates in an aggressive fashion, but further proof of their own faith in this season's sales. Keeneland with a large consignment has been having its internal troubles due to the agreed policy among breeders to limit yearlings offered for sale. As the agency is a cooperative in which consignors share the profits, and as the culling out process was previously agreed upon, there is small grounds for antagonism against the management for putting the policy into effect. Culling has, however, angered some breeders whose top horses have in instances been accepted while those not so fashionably bred or with faults must be disposed of elsewhere.

Buyers will appreciate the selective process, but some breeders feel the procedure is too retroactive as it makes the higher prices they expect to get at Keeneland for their top colts insufficient to warrant the loss they may take on their culls at home. It is a difficult process at best and one which Keeneland has had to struggle through this Spring as consignors rebelled against the limiting process. Another year Kentucky may well change the procedure particularly if Saratoga begins to gather in outraged Keeneland clients. Most impressive factor of all, in the outlook for the sales, however, is the highest breeding figure of all time, 7,500 registered Thoroughbreds in 1947 an increase of nearly 30% from the previous 5,500 average. Significant addenda to this figure is the fact that only 883 yearlings from this group will be sold at Keeneland and Saratoga. In other words, breeders are only going to let the large buying public have a small fraction of their wares, a factor which will undoubtedly lend impetus to the strength of the market next week in the greatest Thoroughbred production center in the world.



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		Sansonnnet	Scapa Flow
	Accelerate	Hurry On	Sansovine
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			Bachelor's Double
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NOTE: Bellman is stakes winner. \*Cedarhurst won Phoenix Plate; is dam of stakes winner CRUSHED CORN.

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## Six Yearlings To Be Sold At Saratoga

## Opening Night, August 10th

The following yearlings have an added advantage. They are eligible for \$150,000 extra in purses and stakes for Maryland-breds.

## B. f. by Mr. Bones—Grandiflora by High Quest.

Mr. Bones, a stakes winner (Dwyer, Swift Stakes and Alhambra 'Cap), is sire of the stakes winners Dockstader, Fade, Burnt Cork, Caribou and many other winners. Grandiflora is a winner and dam of the winner Holly Star.

## Ch. c. by Lochinvar—Maetake by Transmute.

Lochinvar won 11 races at two, three and four including Kent Stakes (by four lengths), Merchants and Citizen's 'Cap at Belmont Park (1 3/16 miles in 1:55, new track record and beating First Fiddle, etc.), Quaker City, Dunboyne, Genie 'Caps, etc. Maetake, winner of 11 races, is dam of the 1947 winners San Mar (at three) and Halizan (at two).

## B. c. by The Rhymer—Trudeyn by Prince of Wales.

The Rhymer won 11 races and \$88,325. His first foals were two-year-olds in 1947 and include King Rhymer (3/4 mile in 32 seconds at Santa Anita for new world's record), Beauty, Reeson and Best Yet; also sire of the 1948 two-year-old winner Roundeleer. Trudeyn did not race. Is dam of the winners Dreamer and Brother Henry.

## B. f. by Occupation—Bamboo Broom by Black Servant.

Occupation, winner of 17 races and \$227,035 was leading two-year-old of his year. Bamboo Broom, a winner of 11 races is dam of the winner Darby Duma.

## Dk. c. f. by Maxim—Chatelet by Chatterton.

Maxim never raced. He is son of Boojum (never out of the money) and Motto by \*Sir Gallahad III. Chatelet is dam of the winners Chatabit, Chaste, Pleasant Lady and Le Chat.

## B. c. by Supremus—War Land by \*Belfonds.

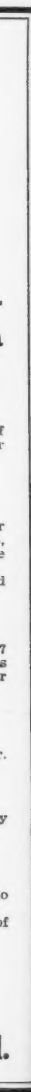
Supremus, a stakes winner, is the sire of winners of 1446 races and \$1,534,437 to end of 1947. War Land's sire, \*Belfonds, won French Derby, Prix Greffulhe and is sire of many stakes winners.

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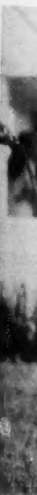
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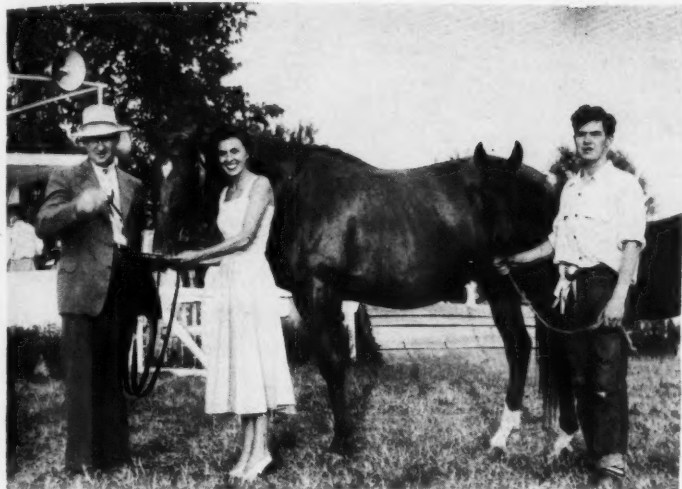
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Mrs. J. North Fletcher presented the trophy to the winning broodmare in the racing division. Brookmeade Stable's Manager Bill Ballenger held Safeguard for that award and then came back into the ring to take away the racing division championship. (Hawkins Photo)

## Virginia Breeding Show At Warrenton

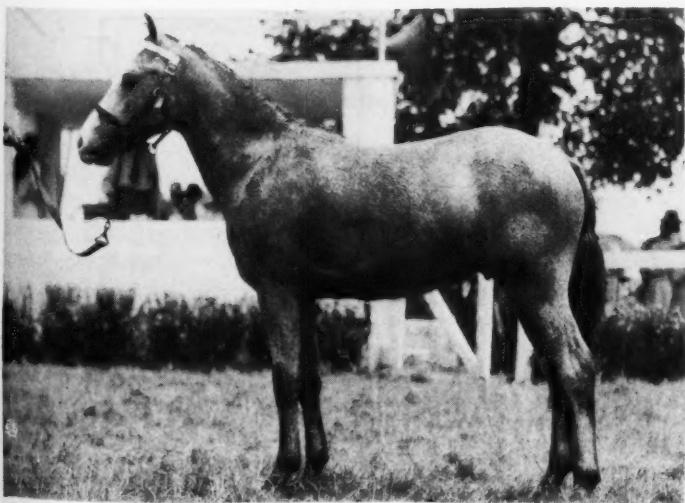
### Brookmeade and Burrland Share Honors In Broodmare and Foal Divisions With Hunter Honors To A. C. Randolphs

The bloodlines represented in the racing division at the 3rd annual Virginia Horseman's Association's show made it impossible to say that it was a one-state event as many of the country's outstanding sires were represented by their progeny. Spectators at the show on July 10 held at Warrenton, Va. took home some well worn programs as they had spent the afternoon carefully looking over the breeding of the entries.

As usual, the mares with foal at foot or bred this season, entered the ring first and this was really a large class. Judge Lou P. Doherty had a job lined out for him and anxiously watching the class from the sideline was Brookmeade Farm's Manager Bill Ballenger. He said he would be satisfied with 1st and 2nd but Judge Doherty complied with the blue ribbon on Safeguard, a chestnut mare by Okapi-Guarded Queen, by On Watch with a brown colt by By Jimmy at her side. Safeguard was a stakes winner at 3, winning the Test Stakes and the Colonial Handicap. When the 1st and 2nd ribbon winners were brought into the ring so that the champion racing division tri-color could be pinned, Safeguard was again placed at the head of the line and the rosette went to Brookmeade.

William Ziegler's Jr.'s Burrland Farm really took over the racing division with most of the credit going to his sire Wait-A-Bit and the broodmare, Marching Home. Manager Emmett Leache had a most successful outing with the progeny of Wait-A-Bit at the same show last year and not only brought back the winning foals (now yearlings), but some of this year's crop. Marching Home was placed 2nd behind Safeguard in the broodmare class but she began to make her bid when her chestnut filly by Wait-A-Bit won the large class for foals born prior to May 1.

Cards were handed to would be judges before the yearling colt class and confusion reigned for awhile as they inspected the entries, sauntered back and forth to take another look and then ran for the secretary's stand when the time was up. Meantime Judge Doherty was calmly going about the business of selecting the winner and finally had 7 top colts lined up. More judging and then 6 were pinned, the winner? The chestnut colt by Wait-A-Bit—Marching Home, last year's reserve champion of the racing division. Among the amateur judges, Colin "Sandy" MacLeod won the prize, he picked 1st, 2nd and 4th.



Donnotar Pony Farm has a lot of pony in its grey yearling colt, Trouble. Outstanding in the pony division, Trouble came back into the ring to be judged the champion of that division, striking a perfect pose while waiting for his ribbon. (Hawkins Photo)



W. Ziegler, Jr.'s ch. c. by Wait-A-Bit-Marching Home, winner of the yearling colt class in the racing division. Marching Home's foal won the Black Mat challenge trophy and reserve championship. (Hawkins Photo)

The entries from Burrland with their purple and red braids were not through and completely swamped the class for the best foal by exhibitor, whose sire or dam were also bred by the same person. This was for the Black Mat Challenge Trophy presented by Mrs. Fay Ingalls. Marching Home was led up to the front and the ribbon pinned or her chestnut filly, foaled February 18, 1948. The good looking chestnut progeny of Wait-A-Bit took over the get of sire class and then there was nothing left but the championship. In for reserve behind Safeguard was the winner of the Black Mat trophy, the small chestnut filly.

It would be hard to find anything more entertaining to everyone than the pony breeding classes. Nothing but blue ribbons for Mrs. James C. Hamilton's grey yearling colt, Trouble, by Stormy Weather-Cricket. This personable youngster was awarded the championship ahead of Meander and Keithwood Farm's broodmare, Hazel. Hazel won her class but was practically put off to the side by her foal, a chestnut colt by Omar which also won his class. This colt really stood up in the ring without benefit of someone holding him and before the foal class was over, the photographers had centered around him, each one trying to get a good picture.

The afternoon classes in the hunter division are held in the back ring as the snow fence is removed in the large ring to make way for the racing division. This puts one on the spot as it is impossible to look over all the entries in the latter division and still run over to the

other ring to see what new hunter prospects are lined up.

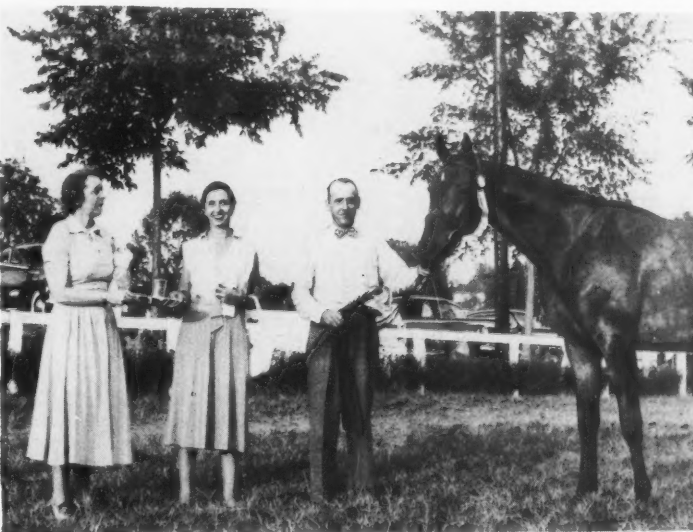
Major and Mrs. H. F. Scholtz have just about traded the country of Siam to stay at their Woodbourne Farm near Warrenton, Va. Last year they made their first entries at the breeders' show and this year they had good returns. Their Supremacy a 6-year-old b. m. by Supremus-Golden Pass, was selected as the best in the broodmare class while her foal by Chicuelo was 4th among the foals.

Roger Bayly, Sr. is well remembered for his riding in the show rings but at the breeders' show he was on the ground, leading a grey 2-year-old filly, Miss Whirl, which belongs to the young Roger Bayly. This filly, by Coq d'Esprit-Whirl and Twirl, not only won her class but was reserve champion of the hunter division.

Before the hunter classes were over, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Randolph arrived and when they learned about the number of ribbons their stable had garnered, they really hurried to get by the rail. Mrs. Randolph was doubly pleased when her Topsfield won the open 2-year-old colt class and at the end of the show, he received the hunter division tri-color.

It takes a show such as this to bring out many entries in the heavy-draft division. As the horses are led in for various classes, older horsemen sadly recall the days when all Virginia shows had good heavydraft entries. Then they talk about the tractors replacing the horses and wish that there was some way to make the heavydrafts equal to a

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Mrs. A. C. Randolph, (at left), received the hunter championship award from Mrs. Melville Church II. Robert Kerns held the 2-year-old champion, Topsfield. (Hawkins Photo)

## 48th Annual Toronto Horse Show

### New Working Hunter Division In Revived Program Won By Brown Eagle With Vernon Cardy's Fort Riley In Reserve

#### Broadview

The Toronto Horse Show, Toronto, Canada one of Canada's finest before the war, returned to its old glory with the 48th annual event held on July 1-2. Permission was received from the Ontario Jockey Club to hold the show at Woodbine Park which proved ideal in providing excellent accommodations for both spectators and horses. An excellent and interesting outside course was erected for hunters in the infield which included a water jump. This was wisely constructed in a moderate way of 4'-0" of water with a pole over the centre, making a good introduction for Canadian horses as it has been many years since they have been required to jump water. This stopped only a few and fortunately cameras were elsewhere when the one and only rider made a splash.

A whole working hunter division was included which received grand support. All hunters went over the outside course which was modified to omit the water and the tricky, narrow in and out over a lane for classes requiring less experience. A judges' stand was an excellent vantage point for officials to watch the performances and conformation was judged on the turf just inside the rail. Jumpers, harness and saddle events were shown on the track, along with several features which helped greatly to keep things moving according to schedule.

One of the features was a high jump, man against horse. Vernon G. Cardy's Atomic was the horse selected to compete with two Toronto athletes but the horse was defeated, to the disappointment of horse fans. Miss Lynn Vaulti from Paris, France, put on a dressage exhibition with the Arab Ahah. James Franceschini gave a demonstration with his Palomino four-in-hand. These were something to see. They are of his own breeding, only 3-year-olds and the off leader is only 2. They are saddle-bred and are the fulfillment of an ambition of this illustrious sportsman whose hackneys have a wide reputation.

Vernon G. Cardy's large hunter string accounted for many ribbons and provided stiff competition but the conformation championship went to J. Elliott Cottrelle's Gay Boy with 13 points. Mr. Cardy's Times Square and Furnace Run were tied for reserve with 8 points each.

The working hunter championship was won by Miss Yvonne McMullen's Brown Eagle which performed with excellence throughout the show and amassed 17 points toward this award. Mr. Cardy's Fort Riley, ridden by Miss Edith Ferguson, took the reserve with 10 points.

The Toronto Horse Show's permanent challenge trophy, the Hunter Cup, was also awarded to Brown Eagle as he had scored 5 points in the conformation hunter division as well.

The Mrs. Harry Sifton Challenge Trophy, a beautiful punch bowl donated by Mrs. R. K. Hodgson, used to stand for competition for Canadian Thoroughbred hunters but as this class has not been offered for competition for Canadian Thoroughbred hunters for sometime, it was presented this year to the Canadian bred Thoroughbred scoring the most points at the show. Miss Carolyn Spencer from London, Ontario, was the winner with her home-bred Corlea.

Perhaps we should not leave the hunters before reporting results on the \$1,000 working hunter stake where Gay Boy defeated Brown Eagle with Mrs. Hugh Wilson's Worth 3rd over Vernon G. Cardy's Fort Riley and Judge Brickenden's Roger II. There were 10 placings in this event.

The jumper division brought forth some top competition, most of them from Ontario. Canadians can be justly proud of the caliber of their jumpers. The outside challengers

were Vernon G. Cardy's Prince Tex and Atomic from Quebec and Fred Von Lombeck's entries from New York State. His marvelous little mare, Queen of Sports, made a great hit with the Canadian public and the black Thoroughbred, Grand Central, though not as consistent, is a good one to watch in action.

The jumper championship was carried off by the gallant King Hi, owned by Charles Loveless of Toronto, ridden most capably by Miss Rosalie Howell. Roger II, owned by Judge Brickenden and ridden by his daughter, Mrs. Hall-Holland of London, Ontario, tied for reserve with George Kellough's Harmony, well known in recent years in the Quebec show circuit though he started his career in Ontario. Mrs. Hall-Holland won the toss for the honors, however, and also accounted for many ribbons in the hunter division with the same horse.

It is of interest that Roger II participated in the Pony Club Rally when the Toronto children challeng-

ed the London Pony Club just two days before the show. This involved a 12-mile hack to Markham from the Eglinton Hunt Club, where the children looked after their horses overnight and then returned to Eglinton. This horse is really "used" and is not a pampered show horse.

The knock-down-and-out stake was the real test of the show for jumpers. However, when the qualifying horses competed on the final night over a course which included both horizontal and vertical crossed poles at a very fair elevation, with 12 obstacles in all, tension was high.

Queen Of Sports and another old timer, O. D. Robinson's Watch Me, went as far as the last jump but there were 4 clean rounds. King Hi, W. R. Ballard's Reject and A. C. Texter's Toss Up, all winners of preliminaries and Prince Tex, were the clean ones. The jump off put the stake in the hands of King Hi but the other 3 were tied again. The next jump off decided 2nd place for Toss Up, the honest grey from Welling, with Prince Tex 3rd over Reject.

A hurdle race was held on the 1st day with 6 starters. Weights were allotted but there was no betting or programs. The winner was Gordon F. Perry's Many Flares, ridden by J. Oliver, defeating his stablemate African Jewel, K. LeFever up, by 3 lengths. Gordon Auld's first time starter, Fifty-First, ridden by Ray Robinson, ran a nice race to nose out the other Perry entry, Winsor Bridge for 3rd money. Miss Rosalie Howell rode S. P. Jarvis' Star Catcher and F. Bigley rode Col. K. R. Marshall's Royal Heels. The winner was clocked in 3.17 3-5.

A race for qualified half-breds, 1 1-2 miles over the hurdle course, was run on the 2nd day to carry 165 lbs. and over. Mr. Lou Scott rode his own Diane, showing a nice turn of speed to defeat Mr. Robb Elder on last year's Prince of Wales Cup winner, Tycoon, in a driving finish. Mr. J. W. MacNamara rode J. Elliott Cottrelle's Witty to 3rd place. Mr. Brad C. Heintzman was an outdistanced 4th on his father's Fairfield Peter.

Lightweight working hunters—1. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Rocket, G. T. Gayford; 3. Coralea, Carolyn Spencer; 4. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker.

Green lightweight hunters—1. Mascas, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Coralea, Carolyn Spencer; 3. Entry, T. Pogue; 4. Major Sandon, E. H. Cudney.

Green middle and heavyweight hunters—1. Red Admiral, W. R. Ballard; 2. Furnace Run, Vernon G. Cardy; 3. Edinton, Vernon G. Cardy; 4. Swan Song, Jack Groch.

Hon. F. P. O'Connor Challenge Trophy, open jumpers, amateurs to ride—1. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 2. Sancho, Ross Cudney; 3. Guy Pursar, Mrs. Hugh Wilson; 4. Grey Gay, Guy Pursar.

Middle and heavyweight working hunters—1. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 2. Swan Song, Jack Groch; 3. Skyline Tommy, A. C. Texter; 4. Roger, Judge Brickenden.

A. E. LePage Challenge Trophy, knock-down-and-out stake, 1st preliminary—1. Watch Me, O. D. Robinson; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Panama, E. H. Cudney.

The Birks-Ellis-Ryrie Challenge Trophy, lightweight hunters—1. Lightland, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Gayboy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 3. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson; 4. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker.

Thoroughbred open 'Chase, abt. 2 mi. Purs. \$200. Net value to winner: \$125; 2nd: \$50; 3rd: \$50. Time: 3.12 3-4.

1. Many Flares, (Gordon F. Perry), J. Oliver.

2. African Jewel, (Gordon F. Perry), K. LeFever.

3. Fifty-First, (G. Auld), R. Robinson.

4. Started; also ran (order of finish): G. Perry's Winsor Bridge, Unknown; S. P. Jarvis' Star Catcher, Miss Rosalie Howell; Col. K. R. Marshall's Royal Heels, F. Bigley. Won driving by 3.

Ladies' hunter—1. Gayboy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Gold Lode, Vernon G. Cardy; 3. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker; 4. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson.

Open jumpers—1. King Hi, Charles Loveless; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Panama, E. H. Cudney; 4. Skyline Tommy, A. C. Texter.

Yearling filly or gelding—1. Statesman, T. A. Lean; 2. Supreme, T. A. Crow; 3. Wendy, G. B. Heintzman; 4. Marivonne, C. T. McMullen.

2-year-old filly or gelding—1. Tony, G. B. Heintzman.

3-year-old filly or gelding—1. Barlight, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Flagala, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 3. Novice equitation, under 18—1. Tom Cork; 2. Walter Pady; 3. Janet Rough; 4. Mariya Hawman.

The Princess Elizabeth Challenge Trophy, horse or pony—1. Daphne, Heather McLean; 2. Patsy, George Mason; 3. Sunny Sensation, J. Lauder; 4. Clonmell, J. Rumble.

Open equitation, under 14—1. Heather McLean; 2. Jim Kennedy; 3. Janet Rough; 4. Jim Lauder.

Children's working hunter—1. Clonmell, J. Rumble; 2. Loma Doon, Tom Cork; 3. Don Mills, John Sproat; 4. Tordietor, Walter Pady.

Open equitation, under 18—1. Heather McLean; 2. Tom Cork; 3. Jim Kennedy; 4. Doris Mason.

The R. D. Warwick Challenge Trophy, road hack—1. Singing High, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker; 3. Bimbala, Vernon G. Cardy; 4. Teddy, Brookfields Stable.

Novice open, 5 and under—1. Furnace Run, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Coralea, Carolyn Spencer; 3. State Fair, Edward Cooper; 4. Dietition, J. Pogue.

The R. Y. Eaton Challenge Trophy, owner up—1. Brown Rock, L. J. McGuinness; 2. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 3. Rocket, G. T. Gayford; 4. Senator, W. R. Ballard.

Ladies' working hunter—1. Coralea, Carolyn Spencer; 2. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 3. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy.

Novice jumpers—1. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 2. Copper King, C. T. McMullen; 3. Rocket, G. T. Gayford; 4. Play Boy, G. B. Heintzman.

Other than Thoroughbred hunters—1. Gayboy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Times Square, Vernon G. Cardy; 3. Senator, W. R. Ballard; 4. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy.

Third preliminary—1. Reject, W. R. Ballard; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Aladdin, Canadian Army Team; 4. Wings, W. R. Ballard.

Half-bred 'chase, abt. 1/2 mi., weights 165. Trophy to winner.

1. Diane, (Lou Scott), Mr. Lou Scott.

2. Tycoon, (Robb Elder), Mr. Robb Elder.

3. Witty, (J. Elliott Cottrelle), Mr. J. W. MacNamara.

4. Started; also ran: Mr. Heintzman's Fairfield Peter, Mr. Brad C. Heintzman.

Ride 1, lead 1—1. Gay Boy, Play Boy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Vanity Miss, Entry, C. T. McMullen; 3. Swan Song, Panda, Jack Groch.

Working hunter stake—1. Gay Boy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 3. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson; 4. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy; 5. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 6. Giant Yellowknife, Carl Pielsticker; 7. Veracruzano, E. H. Cudney; 8. Times Square, Vernon G. Cardy; 9. Panama, E. H. Cudney; 10. Fairfield Peter, G. B. Heintzman.

Hunt teams—1. Times Square, Gold Lode, Prince Tex, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Play Boy, Gay Boy, Singing High, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 3. Regalaire, Kip, O. D. Robinson; Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 4. Black Rock, Brown Rock, Peter, L. J. McGuinness.

Triple bar stake—1. Harmony, George Kellough; 2. Grand Central, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Skyline Tommy, A. C. Texter; 4. Twilight, W. R. Ballard.

Knock-down-and-out stake, final preliminary—1. King Hi, Charles Loveless; 2. Toss Up, A. C. Texter; 3. Prince Tex, Vernon G. Cardy; 4. Reject, W. R. Ballard.

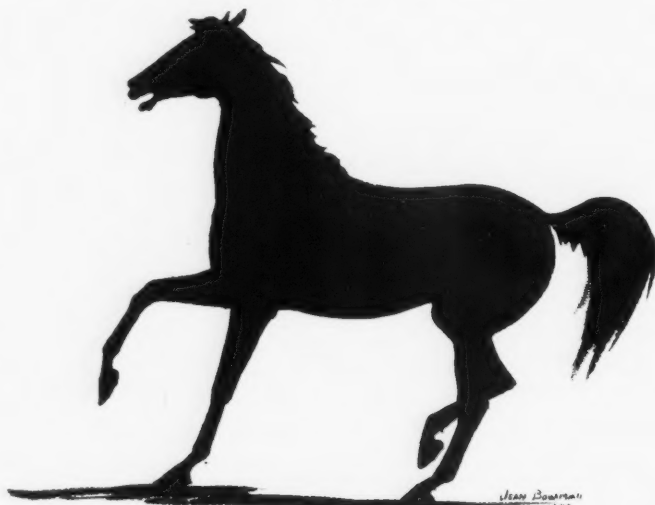
Mrs. Harry Sifton Challenge Trophy, champion hunter—Gay Boy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; Reserve—(Tied) Times Square, Furnace Run, Vernon G. Cardy.

L. J. McGuinness Challenge Trophy, champion working hunter—Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen. Reserve—Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy.

Long Branch Challenge Trophy, jump champion—King Hi, Charles Loveless. Reserve—Roger II, Judge Brickenden.

Judges: Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Charles E. Lyman.

## CHRONICLE QUIZ



WHAT IS A DARK HORSE ?

- What breed of heavy draft horses contains some piebald individuals?
- In what battle did heavy cavalry establish its superiority over the infantry of the Roman legions?
- Do all parts of a horse's hoof grow at the same time?
- What is the vehicle used in trotting races and when did it come into use?
- Can a team of horses plow more ground in a day than a team of oxen?

(Answers on Page 28)

ed the London Pony Club just two days before the show. This involved a 12-mile hack to Markham from the Eglinton Hunt Club, where the children looked after their horses overnight and then returned to Eglinton. This horse is really "used" and is not a pampered show horse.

The knock-down-and-out stake was the real test of the show for jumpers. However, when the qualifying horses competed on the final night over a course which included both horizontal and vertical crossed poles at a very fair elevation, with 12 obstacles in all, tension was high.

Queen Of Sports and another old timer, O. D. Robinson's Watch Me, went as far as the last jump but there were 4 clean rounds. King Hi, W. R. Ballard's Reject and A. C. Texter's Toss Up, all winners of preliminaries and Prince Tex, were the clean ones. The jump off put the stake in the hands of King Hi but the other 3 were tied again. The next jump off decided 2nd place for Toss Up, the honest grey from Welling, with Prince Tex 3rd over Reject.

A hurdle race was held on the

Judge Brickenden; 2. Sancho, Ross Cudney; 3. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson; 4. Grey Gay, Guy Pursar.

Middle and heavyweight working hunters—1. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 2. Swan Song, Jack Groch; 3. Skyline Tommy, A. C. Texter; 4. Roger, Judge Brickenden.

A. E. LePage Challenge Trophy, knock-down-and-out stake, 1st preliminary—1. Watch Me, O. D. Robinson; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Panama, E. H. Cudney.

The Birks-Ellis-Ryrie Challenge Trophy, lightweight hunters—1. Lightland, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Gayboy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 3. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson; 4. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker.

Thoroughbred open 'Chase, abt. 2 mi. Purs. \$200. Net value to winner: \$125; 2nd: \$50; 3rd: \$50. Time: 3.12 3-4.

1. Many Flares, (Gordon F. Perry), J. Oliver.

2. African Jewel, (Gordon F. Perry), K. LeFever.

3. Fifty-First, (G. Auld), R. Robinson.

4. Started; also ran (order of finish): G. Perry's Winsor Bridge, Unknown; S. P. Jarvis' Star Catcher, Miss Rosalie Howell; Col. K. R. Marshall's Royal Heels, F. Bigley. Won driving by 3.

Ladies' hunter—1. Gayboy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Gold Lode, Vernon G. Cardy; 3. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker; 4. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson.

Open jumpers—1. King Hi, Charles Loveless; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Panama, E. H. Cudney; 4. Skyline Tommy, A. C. Texter.

J. A. Rawlinson Memorial Trophy, working hunter—1. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 2. Rocket, G. T. Gayford; 3. Roger II, Judge Brickenden.

The Lt. Col. Stuart C. Bate Trophy, middle and heavyweight hunters—1. Times Square, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Jervis Bay, Vernon G. Cardy; 3. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 4. Transport, J. Elliott Cottrelle.

Pair performance—1. Prince Tex, Vernon G. Cardy; Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 2. War Bond, Veracruzano, E. H. Cudney; 3. Skyline Tommy, Victory Lad, C. L. Robinson; 4. Watch Me, Kip, O. D. Robinson.

Second preliminary—1. Toss Up, A. C. Texter; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Panama, E. H. Cudney.

The Sir Henry Pellatt Challenge Trophy, corinthian class—1. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen.

July 2  
Yearling filly or gelding—1. Statesman, T. A. Lean; 2. Supreme, T. A. Crow; 3. Wendy, G. B. Heintzman; 4. Marivonne, C. T. McMullen.

2-year-old filly or gelding—1. Tony, G. B. Heintzman.

3-year-old filly or gelding—1. Barlight, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Flagala, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 3. Novice equitation, under 18—1. Tom Cork; 2. Walter Pady; 3. Janet Rough; 4. Mariya Hawman.

The Princess Elizabeth Challenge Trophy, horse or pony—1. Daphne, Heather McLean; 2. Patsy, George Mason; 3. Sunny Sensation, J. Lauder; 4. Clonmell, J. Rumble.

Open equitation, under 14—1. Heather McLean; 2. Jim Kennedy; 3. Janet Rough; 4. Jim Lauder.

Children's working hunter—1. Clonmell, J. Rumble; 2. Loma Doon, Tom Cork; 3. Don Mills, John Sproat; 4. Tordietor, Walter Pady.

Open equitation, under 18—1. Heather McLean; 2. Tom Cork; 3. Jim Kennedy; 4. Doris Mason.

The R. D. Warwick Challenge Trophy, road hack—1. Singing High, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Thunderlark, Carl Pielsticker; 3. Bimbala, Vernon G. Cardy; 4. Teddy, Brookfields Stable.

Novice open, 5 and under—1. Furnace Run, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Coralea, Carolyn Spencer; 3. State Fair, Edward Cooper; 4. Dietition, J. Pogue.

The R. Y. Eaton Challenge Trophy, owner up—1. Brown Rock, L. J. McGuinness; 2. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 3. Rocket, G. T. Gayford; 4. Senator, W. R. Ballard.

Ladies' working hunter—1. Coralea, Carolyn Spencer; 2. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 3. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy.

Novice jumpers—1. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 2. Copper King, C. T. McMullen; 3. Rocket, G. T. Gayford; 4. Play Boy, G. B. Heintzman.

Other than Thoroughbred hunters—1. Gayboy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Times Square, Vernon G. Cardy; 3. Senator, W. R. Ballard; 4. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy.

Third preliminary—1. Reject, W. R. Ballard; 2. Queen of Sports, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Aladdin, Canadian Army Team; 4. Wings, W. R. Ballard.

Half-bred 'chase, abt. 1/2 mi., weights 165. Trophy to winner.

1. Diane, (Lou Scott), Mr. Lou Scott.

2. Tycoon, (Robb Elder), Mr. Robb Elder.

3. Witty, (J. Elliott Cottrelle), Mr. J. W. MacNamara.

4. Started; also ran: Mr. Heintzman's Fairfield Peter, Mr. Brad C. Heintzman.

Ride 1, lead 1—1. Gay Boy, Play Boy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Vanity Miss, Entry, C. T. McMullen; 3. Swan Song, Panda, Jack Groch.

Working hunter stake—1. Gay Boy, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 2. Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 3. Worth, Mrs. Hugh Wilson; 4. Fort Riley, Vernon G. Cardy; 5. Roger II, Judge Brickenden; 6. Giant Yellowknife, Carl Pielsticker; 7. Veracruzano, E. H. Cudney; 8. Times Square, Vernon G. Cardy; 9. Panama, E. H. Cudney; 10. Fairfield Peter, G. B. Heintzman.

Hunt teams—1. Times Square, Gold Lode, Prince Tex, Vernon G. Cardy; 2. Play Boy, Gay Boy, Singing High, J. Elliott Cottrelle; 3. Regalaire, Kip, O. D. Robinson; Brown Eagle, C. T. McMullen; 4. Black Rock, Brown Rock, Peter, L. J. McGuinness.

Triple bar stake—1. Harmony, George Kellough; 2. Grand Central, F. Von Lombeck; 3. Skyline Tommy, A. C. Texter; 4. Twilight, W. R. Ballard.

Knock-down-and-out stake, final preliminary—1. King Hi, Charles Loveless; 2. Toss Up, A. C. Texter; 3. Prince Tex, Vernon G. Cardy; 4. Reject, W. R. Ballard.

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## Oconomowoc's Revived Hunter Show

**Bobbie Pin Performs Outstandingly  
To Garner Hunter Championship For  
Mrs. Blackwood With A-Charra Reserve**

Louise Coffin

Thanks to a hard working and more than able-bodied committee, the Oconomowoc Hunt Horse Show was revived, after a war interlude, in a blaze of glory and a good deal of sun on Friday and Saturday, July 9 and 10. Held on the grounds of the Pabst Farms, Inc., just out of Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, the ring and the rolling outside course present a perfect setting for a grand hunter show.

Hunter, jumper, polo pony and horsemanship classes were all very well filled and kept Judges Rodger R. Rhinehart, Charlottesville, Virginia, John P. Hutton, Michigan State College and Lt. Col. E. C. D. Scherrer, chief of horsemanship, Cavalry School, Fort Riley, Kansas really busy. A good job well done.

Also, in connection with the horse show, the Committee ran their first hound show, under the auspices of the Masters of Foxhounds Association of America and it too, turned out to be an outstanding success. Three hunts shipped up from Illinois, and along with the Milwaukee Hunt Club entries, there were many pups and hounds of very good calibre being shown by their trim huntsmen and whips, in their white coats, in the little hound ring adjacent to the horse show ring. This certainly all goes to help keep interest in hunting stimulated through the summer months.

Outstanding in the hunter division was Mrs. J. A. Blackwood's grand and consistent big chestnut gelding Bobbie Pin of Metamora, Detroit. This fellow put in a beautiful performance with owner up to win the corinthian, among other classes and then to go on and annex the hunter championship on points. Close on his trail was A-Charra, that good looking young chestnut owned and well ridden by Miss Jane Kroehler, who took reserve champion hunter of the show.

In the open jumper department, Miss Judy Waller piloted her honest going open horse, The Snake, to the jumper championship, over Miss Leona Mitchell's chestnut mare, Bonnie Barbie, who went reserve.

That lovely little bay mare, Rose Bud, owned and shown by Robert H. Walter of Milwaukee, won the polo pony championship.

Two good days thoroughly enjoyed by all and sundry! The warmth of the weather phased no one, as there seemed to be always a breeze under the tents for the horses. As for exhibitors, they could be found, at the crack of dawn, and late at night, gleefully sojourning in the lake, when they were not being royally entertained by the horse show committee.

July 9-10

Lightweight hunters—1. Arcadia LeSou, Joyce Ruthy; 2. A-Charra, Jane Kroehler; 3. Watch Pass, Wakem and Rogers; 4. Mary's Hero, Mrs. A. Kieckhefer.

Middle and heavyweight hunters—1. Bobbie Pin, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood; 2. Red Robin,

Mrs. Del Carroll; 3. Fancy Free, R. Furrer; 4. Embudo, T. A. Mohlman.

Seat and hands class, under 14 years—1. Red Chester, Priscilla Willis; 2. Julia Sans, Charlotte Kirsten; 3. Jovely Lane, Nancy Treis; 4. Old Grandad, Patty Tiffany.

Hunter hack—1. Escapade, Dr. Ralph Logan; 2. Auburn Prince, Dorothy Evans; 3. Beau Joe, Jane Kroehler; 4. Gernina, Mrs. Orton L. Prime.

Green hunters—1. Escapade, Dr. Ralph Logan; 2. Red Robin, Mrs. Del Carroll; 3. Gallatin Gold, Paul Butler; 4. Watch Pass, Wakem and Rogers.

Bareback jumping—1. The Snake, Judy Waller; 2. Reject Jr., T. R. Chalmers; 3. Flight Command, Joseph A. Barley; 4. Bonnie Barbie, Leona Mitchell.

Children's horsemanship and jumping seat. Under 14 years—1. Arcadia LeSou, Joyce Ruthy; 2. Smokey Mountain, John Harvey; 3. Red Chester, Priscilla Willis; 4. Lightning, Judy Coffin.

Lightweight working hunters—1. La Carla, Mrs. Orton L. Prime; 2. Going Up, Miss Frances Blunt; 3. Bonnie Barbie, Miss Leona Mitchell; 4. Beaver Kill, Paul Butler.

Bridle path class—1. Julia Sans, Charlotte Kirsten; 2. Spencer Genius, Mary Lynn Tries; 3. Lovely Lane, Nancy Tries; 4. Entry, August Pabst.

Knock-down-and-out—1. Going Up, Miss Frances Blunt; 2. Bonnie Barbie, Miss Leona Mitchell; 3. Flight Command, Joseph Barley; 4. The Snake, Miss Judy Waller.

Children's horsemanship and jumping seat. Under 18 years—1. Beau Joe, Miss Jane Kroehler; 2. Going Up, Miss Frances Blunt; 3. Tuck, Miss Kit Sherry; 4. Arcadia LeSou, Miss Joyce Ruthy.

Hunter class. Amateurs to ride—1. Bobbie Pin, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood; 2. La Carla, Mrs. Orton L. Prime; 3. A-Charra, Miss Jane Kroehler; 4. Kitchen Maid, Miss Leona Mitchell.

Children's seat and hands class, 11 years and under—1. Spencer Genius, Mary Lynn Tries; 2. Arcadia LeSou, Joyce Ruthy; 3. Liberty Bell, Sandra Kavinsky; 4. Lightning, Judy Coffin.

Family class—1. Entry, Fred Pabst; 2. Entry, Evans Family; 3. Entry, Mrs. Orton L. Prime; 4. Entry, Edwin Bartlett.

Middle and heavyweight working hunters—1. Glare, E. J. Galecki; 2. Grey Cloud, Mrs. Wilson Evans; 3. Rufus Walle, Mrs. Gustavus Babson; 4. Fancy Free, R. Furrer.

Model polo ponies—1. Rose Bud, Robert H. Walter; 2. Black Est, Robert H. Walter; 3. Lucky Strike, Robert A. Uihlein, Jr.; 4. York, Robert A. Uihlein, Jr.

Light, middle and heavyweight polo ponies—1. Handy Joe, Milwaukee Polo Club; 2. Rose Bud, Robert H. Walter; 3. Lucky Strike, Robert A. Uihlein, Jr.; 4. York, Robert A. Uihlein, Jr.

Thoroughbred hunter—1. A-Charra, Jane Kroehler; 2. Bourbon Lad, Dr. Richard Friedlander; 3. Arcadia LeSou, Joyce Ruthy; 4. Watch Pass, Wakem and Rogers.

Bending race—polo ponies—1. Rose Bud, Robert H. Walter; 2. Handy Joe, Milwaukee Polo Club.

Pairs of hunters. To be jumped abreast—1. Sand Artist, Bunny Dean and Entry; 2. Entry, R. Furrer and Entry; 3. Entry, Dr. W. J. Dennee and Entry; 4. Johnny Bear, Mrs. Corwith Hamill, Billy Whiskers, Mrs. C. H. Coffin.

Professional horsemen's Association Trophy class—1. The Snake, Judy Waller; 2. Going Up, Frances Blunt; 3. Red Bird, T. R. Chalmers; 4. Glare, E. J. Galecki.

A.S.P.C.A. horsemanship event—1. Guardsman, Binnie Heise; 2. Beau Joe, Jane Kroehler; 3. Chinquapin, Fred Farwell; 4. Tuck, Kit Sherry.

Suitable to become hunters. Four years old and under—1. Pine Door, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood; 2. Out A Bounds, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood; 3. Gernina, Mrs. Orton L. Prime; 4. Scarlet, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood.

Fault and out—1. Bonnie Barbie, Miss Leona Mitchell; 2. The Snake, Miss Judy Waller; 3. Flight Command, Joseph A. Barley; 4. Red Bird, T. R. Chalmers.

Ladies' hunters—1. Lady Ester, Miss Sall Hawkins; 2. Beau Joe, Miss Jane Kroehler; 3. Billy Whiskers, Mrs. C. H. Coffin; 4. Royal Blend, T. R. Chalmers.

Lead-in class—1. Wishful Thinking, Tuck Coffin; 2. Peter Pan, Roger Price; 3. Ginger,

## Sea Hope Champion At Locust Hills For Sally Leek

Woogie

A lull in our much needed rainy spell, came a exactly the right time for about 40 horses to compete in the 6th annual Locust Hills Farm Hunter Trials, Saturday, June 26 near Wayzata, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. Louis de Martelly from Barrington, Ill. judged the show.

"Noting ventured, nothing gained" was the motto of 14-year-old Miss Sally Leek. Her venture turned out to be a gain of the championship for Sea Hope, owned by Mrs. A. D. Lindley. Via long distance the night before, Mrs. Lindley suggested that Sally not to try to handle Sea Hope. However, Sally felt confident and picked up 1st in middle and heavyweight, over a tricky and stiff outside course, also 1st in ladies' hunters. Sea Hope was bought at Front Royal, Va. 3 years ago. He is a 7-year-old by Tedious—Rosequartz (she the dam of Winton of timber fame).

Lovely Cottage a 4-year-old blk. gelding by Sullivan Trail, out of a one-half Percheron, one-half Standard-bred mare, is owned and ridden by Miss Zandra Morton. He placed 1st in green hunters and hunter hacks, 2nd in open jumpers. A champion in the making to be sure.

June 26  
Green hunters—1. Lovely Cottage, Zandra Morton; 2. Lady Gordon, Bill Lambert; 3.

Charles Patrick Walter; 4. Entry, D. Pabst. Corinthian class—1. Bobbie Pin, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood; 2. Mary's Hero, Mrs. A. J. Kieckhefer; 3. Beau Joe, Jane Kroehler; 4. Congo, Dr. W. J. Dennee.

Children's horsemanship. Saddle horse seat. Under 18 years—1. Julia Sans, Charlotte Kirsten; 2. Peavine's Masquerade, Caroline Ziemann; 3. Lovely Lane, Nancy Tries; 4. Spencer Genius, Lynne Tries.

Hunt teams—1. Entry, F. O. Walker; 2. Entry, Mill Creek Hunt Club; 3. Entry, Oconomowoc Hunt; 4. Entry, Oak Brook Hunt.

Hunter champion—Bobbie Pin, Mrs. J. A. Blackwood. Reserve—A-Charra, Miss Jane Kroehler.

Jumper champion—The Snake, Miss Judy Waller. Reserve—Bonnie Barbie, Miss Leona Mitchell.

Polo pony champion—Rose Bud, Robert Walter. Reserve—Handy Joe, Milwaukee Polo Club.

Golden Dawn, Mrs. Leon C. Warner, Jr. Lightweight hunter—1. Honeymoon, Patricia Ingram; 2. L'Arlenne, Louis Wille; 3. Mister Maker, Smith Brothers.

Middle and heavyweight hunters—1. Sea Hope, Mrs. A. D. Lindley; 2. Fanette, Leon C. Warner, Jr.; 3. Flash, Sam Ashmun.

Children's horsemanship over fences—1. Jackie Johnson; 2. Alice Ingran; 3. Sally Leek.

Handy hunters—1. Handy Andy, Earl Maxwell; 2. Shenandoah, Leon C. Warner, Jr.; 3. Fanette, Leon C. Warner, Jr.

Hunter hack—1. Lovely Cottage, Zandra Morton; 2. Golden Dawn, Mrs. Leon Warner, Jr.; 3. The Texan, Mary Warner.

Hunt teams—1. Dim Out, Guy Enos; 2. Peter Lady Gordon, Bill Lambert.

Ladies' hunter—1. Sea Hope, Mrs. A. D. Lindley; 2. Polly, Mrs. Glen Millard; 3. Invader, Lyman Wakefield, Jr.

Open jumpers—1. The Plainsman, Smith Brothers; 2. Lovely Cottage, Zandra Morton; 3. Dim Out, Dave Enos.

Champion—1. Sea Hope, Mrs. A. D. Lindley. Reserve—Fanette, Leon C. Warner, Jr.

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## Avon Springs Opens With Show and Race On Site of Old Spa

Jerry B. Foland

The Avon Fair Grounds, onetime hub of Genesee Valley sport but little used in recent years, again echoed the rataplant of galloping horses' hoof beats when the Avon Springs Downs held its first horse show and race meet Monday, July 5, at the historic old race course, Avon, N. Y.

Several members of the Genesee Valley Breeders' Association recently incorporated as the Avon Springs Downs with John Steele as president and purchased the Fair Grounds property.

Avon was once a famous spa, a "little Saratoga" whose sprawling hotels overflowed with pilgrims come to enjoy the alleged therapeutic benefits of the sulphur waters. Midway in the nineteenth century the sporting life revolved around the Fair Grounds and over its deeply cushioned track such cracks as the world's record breaking Dexter performed in harness. It has been thirty years since the track was used as a training course and perhaps fifty years since Thoroughbred matched strides with Thoroughbred in competition.

Through the efforts of Mr. Steele and his committee, a partial restoration of the grounds has been effected and plans call for a complete renovation. Roads approaching the property have been resurfaced, the health-giving but slightly nauseous sulphur stream has been channelled underground, and the track has been graded and rolled and a rail constructed inside the half mile turf racing strip.

The Downs' initial effort was well supported by exhibitors and spectators alike and there was plenty of reminiscing by the members of the old guard among the railbirds.

Francis Snyder, associated with C. L. Whiting when that worthy had a stable of runners in training at the Fair Grounds thirty years ago, was again prominent, but this time with jumpers and with an able assist or two from the second generation. Francis sent Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mart's handsome Goldie around the ring at an even pace to take the lightweight working hunter class and later in the afternoon accounted for the middle and heavyweight working hunter division with Mr. and Mrs. William C. Faugh's brilliant Sky's Double. While Francis rested, his son Corky aboard his father's Skip Off bested C. Gillett's Hi Ball in a jump off to take the blue in the open jumping.

Roy Smith's Pop Eye won the amateur jumping and a trophy donated by Dr. Joseph C. O'Dea, local veterinarian and student of the Thoroughbred. Pop Eye also out-jumped three other horses to break a four-way tie for 1st place in the

knock-down-and-out. It is the opinion in this corner that the young Miss Dorothy Sondleiter, Pop Eye's regular pilot, is one of the better show ring riders in these parts, and undoubtedly plays a large part in the success of this one eyed wonder. She has the all too rare ability to leave a good horse alone in the ring.

The feature flat race of the afternoon was a 6-furlong open affair at catch weights. L. Filer's Council Bluffs, a gelded son of Omaha, was the class of the field. He broke on top and led as far as the "clubhouse turn". As they swung around the turn, Council Bluffs went wide and Bob Gruber sent his Gallant Major through on the inside. Bob's moment of glory was brief, however, for when they straightened out down the back stretch the long striding Omaha gelding again raced to the front and was a galloping winner by 4 lengths.

Council Bluffs was "blown out" in a five-eighths mile race earlier in the afternoon but could do no better than 2nd behind L. Bowerman's Corky Joe. Maybe a win and a place on the same afternoon is not too bad, however.

In the half-mile flat race, Oliver and Prindle's Para D. took 1st money by 2 lengths from L. Bowerman's Corky Joe.

The races were spirited contests and there was no doubt but what everybody was trying.

In the breeding classes Ralph Shepard's Numete won the 2-year-old class and the championship. Numete is a well turned brown colt by the Homestead stallion, Which Mate. Carolton Green's Lady Tee won the 3-year-old class and later proved best of the suitable horses.

July 5

Yearlings—1. Misoma, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carson; 2. Dark Brown Colt, Ralph Shepard; 3. Gomate, Margaret Gardner; 4. Ammeher, Harold Amidon.

Amateur jumping—1. Pop Eye, Roy Smith; 2. Buck Again, Bob Newbeck; 3. Maybe, Chris DiDio; 4. Black Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trott.

2-year-olds—1. Numete, Ralph Shepard; 2. Jimcollin, Parman Stables; 3. Spring Night, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Elwell; 4. Miss Principal, Donald W. Patterson.

Working hunters, lightweight—1. Goldie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mart; 2. Top Rail, Heberle Stable; 3. Showman, John D. Murphy, Jr.; 4. Royal Sailor, Michael J. Magde.

3-year-olds—1. Lady Tee, Carlton Green; 2. Royal Sailor, Michael J. Magde; 3. Lucky Sailor, Horace B. Anderson; 4. Irish Hill, Fred S. Roberts, Jr.

Championship, winners of yearling, 2-year-old and 3-year-old classes—Champion—Numete, Ralph Shepard. Reserve—Misoma, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carson.

Half-mile flat race—1. Para D., Oliver and Prindle; 2. Corky Joe, L. Bowerman; 3. Lucky, L. Bowerman; 4. Flash, Herb Smith.

Fonies under saddle—1. Lady, Elsie McMillan; 2. Queenie, Sandra Macauley.

Open umping—1. Skip Off, Francis Snyder; 2. Hi Ball, C. Gillett; 3. Pop Eye, Roy Smith; 4. Buck Again, Bob Newbeck.

Suitable to become hunters—1. Lady Tee, Carlton Green; 2. Spring Night, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Elwell; 3. Royal Sailor, Michael J. Magde; 4. Sailor Charm, Robert H. Dygert.

Open hunters—1. Donella, McConnell Farms; 2. Royal Flush, Michael J. Magde; 3. Black Magic, San Joy Farms; 4. Goldie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mart.

Five-eighths mile flat race—1. Corky Joe, L. Bowerman; 2. Council Bluffs, L. Filer; 3. Brown Bomber, Carol Gruber; 4. Lucky, Herb Smith.

Horsemanship, children under 18 years—1.

## Blue Ridge Champion Hunter At Cremona Over 5/8 Mile Course

Fair weather and a cooling breeze favored the Cremona Horse Show this year on Sunday, July 11, held at Mechanicsville, Md. The outside course, 5/8 of a mile, was a real hunter's course with a variety of fences found in hunting countries.

Hugh Wiley's smooth going Blue Ridge took the hunter tri-color with 18½ points.

Avon Shockey's Red Knight put in some nice performances in the jumper division to take the championship with 17 points. Roger Grove's Mr. Taylor pushed him closely with 16 points to receive reserve honors.

July 11

Junior horsemanship—1. Sally Zantsinger; 2. Kathryn Kelly; 3. Barbara Bockman; 4. Al Smith, Jr.

Junior jumpers—1. Nanette, Al Smith; 2. Maryland Miss, John Kelly; 3. Irony, Fairfax Clark; 4. Flying Heels, Al Smith, Jr.

Local hacks—1. Glocca Morra, Leon T. Greenway; 2. Whizbang, Julia Davidson; 3. Giglio, Francis Davidson; 4. Bruce, Maj. General H. C. Davidson.

Green hunters—1. Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley; 2. Brandon King, Peyton Ballenger; 3. Flying Heels, Al Smith, Jr.; 4. Kaywoodie, George Fitzpatrick.

Southern Maryland hunters—1. Glocca Morra, Leon T. Greenway; 2. Maryland Miss, John Kelly; 3. Whizbang, Julia Davidson; 4. Giglio, Francis Davidson.

Junior warm up—1. Red Knight, Avon Shockey; 2. Mr. Taylor, Roger Groves; 3. Party Miss, George Fitzpatrick; 4. My First Night, Helen Eichelberger.

Hunter hacks—1. Fire Trap, Mrs. W. T. Kees; 2. Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley; 3. Day Dreams, Harry De Mawby, Jr.; 4. Little John, Mrs. T. K. Wheeler.

Knock-down-and-out—1. Mr. Taylor, Roger Groves; 2. Red Knight, Avon Shockey; 3.

Elsie McMillan; 2. Donald W. Patterson.

Working hunter, middle and heavyweight—1. Sky's Double, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Faugh; 2. Peggy Lass, Robert H. Dygert; 3. Vee Jay, Dr. V. J. Levy; 4. Little Joe, H. Seaman.

Knock-down-and-out—1. Pop Eye, Roy Smith; 2. Sky's Double, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Faugh; 3. Maybe, Chris DiDio; 4. Black Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trott.

Three-quarter mile flat race—1. Council Bluffs, L. Filer; 2. Brown Bomber, Carol Gruber; 3. Lucky, Herb Smith; 4. Gallant Major, Bob Gruber.

Hunter hacks—1. Donella, McConnell Farms; 2. Showman, John D. Murphy, Jr.; 3. Sailor Queen, Donald W. Patterson.

Judge: Christopher Wadsworth.

Party Miss, George Fitzpatrick; 4. My First Night, Helen Eichelberger.

Pair hunters—1. Sky's Image, Claude W. Owen; 2. Cherry Bounce, Hugh Wiley; 3. Kaywoodie, George Fitzpatrick; 4. Jolly Scott, Nola Rognley; 3. Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley; 4. Party Miss, George Fitzpatrick; 4. Brandon King, Peyton Ballenger; 4. Glocca Morra, Leon T. Greenway.

Touch and out—1. Peter D'Oro, Thorpe and Farm; 2. Mr. Taylor, Roger Groves; 3. Red Knight, Avon Shockey; 4. Roxy, W. H. Odell.

Ladies' hunter—1. Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley; 2. Cherry Bounce, Hugh Wiley; 3. Greylock, Mrs. Gardner Hallman; 4. Brandon King, Peyton Ballenger.

Jumper stake—1. Party Miss, George Fitzpatrick; 2. Mr. Taylor, Roger Groves; 3. Red Knight, Avon Shockey; 4. Greylock, Mrs. Gardner Hallman.

Hunter stake—1. Sky's Image, Claude W. Owen; 2. Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley; 3. Jolly Scott, Nola Rognley; 4. Greylock, Mrs. Gardner Hallman.

Open hunters—1. Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley; 2. Brandon King, Peyton Ballenger; 3. Greylock, Mrs. Gardner Hallman; 4. Fire Trap, Mrs. W. T. Kees.

Triple bar—1. Red Knight, Avon Shockey; 2. Party Miss, George Fitzpatrick; 3. Mr. Taylor, Roger Groves; 4. My First Night, Helen Eichelberger.

Hunter champion—Blue Ridge, Hugh Wiley, 18½ points. Reserve—Brandon King, Peyton Ballenger, 8½ points.

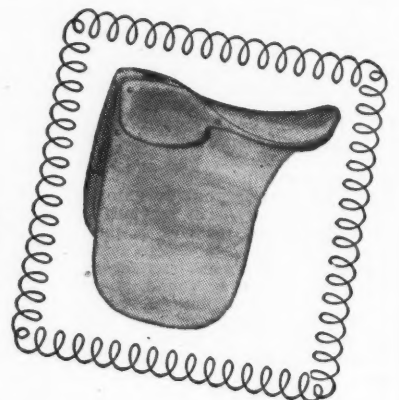
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## Hunting A Pack of Hounds



### Some Remarks On the Type of Hounds Suitable To A Variety of Needs For Country, Riders and Their Inclinations

Mason Houghland, M. F. H.

Hunting hounds is like calling a square dance, you must know what you are doing,—and know the calls as well.

**THE FIND:** We all agree with Addison that "hunting is not a proper employment for a thinking man" but, if the old head will clear up occasionally, we can be of great help to hounds. Remember that you, high up on a horse, have a much greater field of vision,—even if your scenting qualities, like ours, are a little dulled by having had your nose in a bottle, or over a pipe, for many years. Say, for example, that hounds are working upon a stale potato kind of a line and "getting nowhere fast". You see the "Red Ranger" steal away across a distant field of emerald wheat, and hasten to put them on the line. When they inhale that fresh intoxicating scent, they are sold upon your ability. And the next time they will fly to you.

When you approach the woodland where Mr. Fox lives your hounds should be in front of you. At fifty to one hundred yards distance, stop your horse and give the signal that sets the pack free to begin the search. Always use the same words upon these occasions. "Leu in, leu in...." is the time honored command, but many others are used. However, "leu" doesn't sound like anything else and therefore has a great advantage. Whatever you say, never change the command.

The distance at which you stop from the woods should vary with their size, for you want hounds spread over a wide front when they enter the cover. Many a fox is by-passed when hounds first go in, and lies snug until the whole parade has gone on, then quietly steals away back over the line of your approach. Of course, more foxes steal out of small woods in advance of the entry of the hounds. In a large wood, the problem is reversed; it is not how to prevent Br'er Fox stealing out,—but how to drive him out that concerns you.

Since we first must find our fox, we must have hounds that will spread wide and draw well. Spread is the width of ground that your hounds cover in front of you. This varies, of course, with the country, but on the average may be something near a half mile; that is the pack is moving through the country in a skirmish line of about that width. If they attempt to cover a more extensive front, they are apt to get away on the line individually, rather than collectively. However, bold Reynard rarely bursts into the open like a fire horse. Generally, he circles a time or two through the woods before he is pushed out, and during these swings scattered hounds hear the cry and hark to it.

As a basic rule, the better bred the hound the wider he hunts. And unless you hunt some paradise of small covers and big fields, the wide hunting hound is necessary.

But here again, we must be careful about terms. To a Field Trial hound breeder, a wide hunting hound is one that thinks nothing of ranging miles away in search of a fox. Some, in fact are encouraged to just "keep going" until they find a fox. After the National was run at Bowling Green one bitch was picked up a week later about sixty miles north, and she was hunting hard

when found. A hound like that is not very useful if you want a co-ordinated pack of hounds that will get away together with a fox. But some of the blood may be of great value. Many of these inbred field trial hounds are timid, wild, and difficult to handle. They are like thoroughbred horses in that they can outperform any other type. But they are too individualistic for team work. There are, however, some level headed families that are susceptible to training, and a pack of this kind cannot be equalled, or even approached, by any other hounds upon earth. However, for the man who is not predominately interested in hounds, some of the slower and more phlegmatic breeds, either the imported, or the type bred along our Eastern shores may be more useful. And the country has much to do with the kind of hounds you should use. If it is open with big fields and with few obstacles that are apt to long delay a vigorous horseman then there is a possibility that "Buzzard Wings" type of bloodstock may be considered,—if you have patience, time and a way with hounds. But in a lesser country, and particularly if you are not bred and born a "hound man" the slower kinds are apt to be more useful.

When the scenting is good, hounds hunt without any need for assistance, but upon a bad scenting day, they require some direction. When the sun is warm but the ground still chilled, you have but one chance and that is to steal up close to old Red and flush him out of cover as a cur dog jumps a rabbit. So your job is to keep your hounds in motion, and to cover as much ground as possible. For upon such days, when you stop, within a few minutes hounds begin to drift towards you, and to stand in silent contemplation of anyone so dumb as to hunt when there is no scent. So keep your horse moving slowly at such times, or your hounds may stand still. You must cover a lot of ground if you expect to flush a fox. If he steals away ten minutes in front of you he will leave so little scent upon these days that it may be useless to pursue him. Your chance is to jump him, and then to push him hard. If your hounds let him amble away, they will never run him. He must be forced to fly, if the pack is to be able to follow with any success. So this is the time to hunt quietly, to encourage hounds to spread like skirmishers and to draw with care. Upon such days, many foxes like to sun themselves upon a south slope in a sedgegrass field, particularly if the field be close to a woodland. Nor upon these occasions must you pass up any thick cover where a fox may lurk. Keep trying, and, as the afternoon lengthens, your chances improve. By four o'clock, even upon a bad day, things will be better.

It is possible to jump a fox, of course, upon any day, but there are days when hounds simply cannot run one a hundred yards. When you take hounds out upon such times, it is like going to a wedding when you have had advance information that the bride will not appear. People ride gaily along in the sunshine and chatter that, "It's almost like a May day". Only you and the hounds know the doleful facts, and, like crows at a hog killing, you wait until the

## Virginia Breeding Show

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tractor as they give a farm a much better appearance. H. C. Thompson and Son took home the championship with Guy N. Cornell's Peggy Farceur in for reserve.

When the Virginia Horsemen's Association made a survey of the breeding activities in Virginia, they were amazed to find that next to Thoroughbred breeding, were walking Horses. That called for a division for this breed and died-in-the-wool hunter people were observed giving the Walking Horses a once over as they were paraded around the ring. As the yearlings really walked on, they drew comments from all. C. C. Turner's foal by Albany Allen annexed the championship while his Albany Allen was reserve.

July 10

### PONY DIVISION

Ponies suitable to produce or become children's ponies—1. Trouble, Dunnottar Pony Farm; 2. Farnley Sunshine, Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith; 3. Omar, F. Julia Shearer; 4. Farnley Sirius, Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith.

Mares with foal at foot or bred this season—1. Hazel, Meander and Keithwood Farms; 2. Miss Fox, Dunnottar Pony Farm; 3. Sweeper, Anthony Rives; 4. Primrose, Doris J. Cunningham.

Foals—1. Ch. c. by Omar—Hazel, Meander Farm and Keithwood Farms; 2. Apple Blossom, rn. c., by Farnley Sirius—Dixie, Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith.

Yearlings—1. Trouble, Dunnottar Pony Farm; 2. Farnley Grenlin, Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith; 3. Brigand II, Anthony Rives; 4. Gr. f., by Omar—Katika, F. Julia Shearer.

2-year-olds—1. King's Jester, Mrs. Mary E. Keogh; 2. Rocky, John F. Freeman; 3. Farnley Sunshine, Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith; 4. Ch. g. by Stormy Weather—Fun, Dunnottar Pony Farm.

Get of sire—1. Stormy Weather: Trouble, Dunnottar Pony Farm; Hazel, Doris J. Cunningham; Entry: 2. Omar: Ch. c. by Omar—Hazel; gr. f. by Omar—Katika; b. g. by Omar—Hazel, F. Julia Shearer; Rocky, John F. Freeman; 3. Get of Farnley Sirius, Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith; 4. Get of King of the Mountain, Anthony Rives.

Pony championship—Trouble, Dunnottar Pony Farm. Reserve—Hazel, Meander and Keithwood Farms.

funeral aspect of the situation becomes apparent before you commence your doleful dirge about difficulties.

"Bad scenting day", is, of course, the huntsman's alibi for all the failures of pedigree, of method, and of ignorance. And since most days are bad, just as most nights are good, the huntsman is not lying when he groans, "It will be a tough job to run a fox today". The answer is to have a wonderful pack of hounds.

## HUNTING

### HUNTER DIVISION

Mares with foal at foot or bred this season—1. Supercede, Maj. and Mrs. H. F. Scholtz; 2. Glory Be, Peach Bros.; 3. Dasaki, Mrs. Gregory McIntosh; 4. Queen Elizabeth, Mrs. George Sloane.

Foals, suitable to become hunters—1. Ch. f. by Wait-A-Bit—Tellemeoff, by Runantell, Dr. A. C. Randolph; 2. Gr. f. by Grey Coat—Dasaki, by "Kiev, Mrs. Gregory McIntosh; 3. Marie M., br. f. by Straight Lead—Clifton's Chalataine, by "Coq Gaulois, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Furness; 4. B. f. by Chicuelo—Supercede, by Supremus, Maj. and Mrs. H. F. Scholtz.

Open yearling colts—1. Irish Wins, Ernest Redmon; 2. B. c. by Supremus—Favillon, by "Royal Minstrel, Justin Funkhouser; 3. B. c. by "Barred Umber—Sylvia, Gloria Galban; 4. Gr. c. by Ginobi—Golden Per, by Ormesdale, Peach Bros.

Half-bred yearlings, colts and fillies—1. Snow Storm, Mrs. George Sloane; 2. B. g. by "Barred Umber—Sylvia, Gloria Galban; 3. Rebelita, Carolyn Cushman; 4. Gr. c. by "Barred Umber—Primrose II, Peach Bros.

Open yearling fillies—1. Vardell, Mrs. Fay Ingalls; 2. Ch. f. by Wait-A-Bit—Tellemeoff, by Runantell, Dr. A. C. Randolph; 3. Fortend, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Greenhalgh; 4. Gr. f. by Runantell—Dictybel, by "Belfonds, Dr. A. C. Randolph.

Open 2-year-old colts—1. Topsfield, Mrs. A. C. Randolph; 2. Lucille's Best, Ernest Redmon; 3. Your Beap, Manley W. Carter; 4. Drey, Manley W. Carter; 5. Smokey Bar, Peach Bros.; 6. Sea Puss, Mrs. D. C. Sands.

Half-bred 2-year-old colts and fillies—1. Lucille's Best, Ernest Redmon; 2. Sea Puss, Mrs. D. C. Sands; 3. Big Bard, Alec Calvert; 4. Smokey Bar, Peach Bros.

Open 2-year-old fillies—1. Miss Whirl, Roger Bayly, Jr.; 2. Dancing Mill, Ellie Wood Keith; 3. Full of Glee, Mrs. James C. Hamilton; 4. Geraldine, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Greenhalgh.

Get of sire—1. Runantell: Gr. f., 1 yr., Runantell—Dictybel, by "Belfonds; b. f., 1 yr., Runantell—Kissmenow, by Menow; ch. m., 10 yrs., Runantell—Miss Package, by Transvaal, Dr. A. C. Randolph; 2. Supremus: B. c., 1 yr., Pavilion, by "Royal Minstrel; b. c., 1 yr., Supremus—Ann O'Sullivan, by Unbreakable; ch. c., suckling, Supremus—Celtic Legend, by Sir Andrew, Justin Funkhouser.

Hunter championship—Topsfield, Mrs. A. C. Randolph. Reserve—Miss Whirl, Roger Bayly, Jr.

### RACING DIVISION

Mares with foal at foot or bred this season—1. Safeguard, Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane; 2. Marching Home, William Ziegler, Jr.; 3. Supercede, Maj. and Mrs. H. F. Scholtz; 4. Little Rebel, Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane; 5. Birthstone, Howell Jackson.

Foals, foaled prior to May 1, 1948—1. Ch. f., Wait-A-Bit—Marching Home, by John P. Grier, William Ziegler, Jr.; 2. Ch. f., Wait-

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### Spectator

Much to the surprise of many, Robert Wade Grant's Sun Bath, an outsider in the betting, lasted to win the \$10,000 added Hitchcock Steeplechase at two and a half miles by three parts of a length from Rokeby Stables' American Way, who made up ground at the end but was not quite up to the task. Four lengths away, Lowry Watkins' Tourist List, favorite of the field of six, finished third two lengths in front of Ella Widener's Adaptable. Floating Isle was a distant fifth after several serious bobbles during the journey, and the only other starter, Gunboats came to grief at the fourteenth jump.

All six got off to a good start with American Way, Sun Bath, Floating Isle and Gunboats racing for the first jump as a team. Sun Bath went into command shortly after taking the fence, followed by Tourist List, Gunboats, American Way, Floating Isle and Adaptable in that order as the field rounded the first turn. Coming into the stretch the first time, Clingman had a snug hold on Sun Bath, but still set a smart pace. There was little change in position down the front side, but by the time Sun Bath rounded into the backstretch the first time he had increased his lead to five lengths, with Tourist List and Gunboats closest. Into the backstretch the last time, at the critical stage, the gap started to close with American Way ranging up to challenge both Tourist List and Gunboats. It was then that Gunboats was eliminated as American Way went by him at the fourteenth fence, and Adaptable also moved closer to the pace, but Clingman had used his mount judiciously for he still had two lengths the best of it as the field hit the head of the stretch. With two jumps to go American Way began to gain by inches and actually got within half a length of Sun Bath over the last fence. At this point the short-coupled little Sun Bath seemed to stretch his legs a little further and pulled away slightly from American Way to win by a scant length. Adaptable, under Paddy Smithwick closed from way back with a powerful rush, but seemed to lack the punch he had shown in previous races.

Sun Bath carried 137 lbs. and ran the two and a half miles in 4:53 4/5, just 2 3/5 off the record, over a fast track, and took down \$7,825 of the stake.

Nine jumpers were named overnight for this event, but three of these were withdrawn, and it is an interesting speculation to consider what might have happened had trainer Jack Skinner elected to run Genanoke with American Way. According to pre-race strategy the day before, Genanoke would be sent out to force the pace and take care of Sun Bath, who is known to run in front, and then American Way would close at the end to take down the prize. Adaptable was not thought to be too dangerous over this track, for he has shown an inclination for soft going, which left Tourist List as the horse to beat. All this of course is a big if, and Sun Bath ran and jumped beautifully, and would have been tough to beat in this race under any conditions. His rider Darrell Clingman rode a beautiful race. He looked around him several times during the running, and much credit must be given him for judging pace as he did.

6th run. Hitchcock 'Chase 'Cap. abt. 2 1/2 mi., 4 & up. Purse, \$10,000 added. Net value to winner, \$7,825; 2nd: \$2,000; 3rd: \$1,000; 4th: \$500. Winner: br. g. (6) by \*Easton-Sun Fritters, by \*Sun Briar. Trainer: R. W. Grant. Breeder: Meadowview Farms. Time: 4:53 4-5.

1. Sun Bath, (R. W. Grant), 137, D. Clingman.  
2. American Way, (Rokeby Stables), 145, T. Field.  
3. Tourist List, (L. Watkins), 143, F. Hutcherson.

6 started, 5 finished; also ran (order of finish): Miss E. Widener's Adaptable, 152, P. Smithwick; Auburn Farm's Floating Isle, 139, J. Penrod; lost rider after taking (14th): G. H. Bostwick's Gunboats, 131, J. Smiley. Won driving by 1; place same by 4; show same by 2. Scratched: Genanoke, \*Leanslaw, Chance Bullet.

Jack Grabosky's Mechanize, the horse that Emmett Roberts was riding when he was hurt, came home in front on Monday in a claiming steeplechase, after giving his backers, not to mention his rider, Richard Gough, a few tense moments. Mechanize bobbled at a jump on the far side the first time around, and then at the water jump in the stretch, landed very poorly, dragging through and down on his hocks. The little horse, running third at the time, seemed to mind this not an iota, for by the time the leaders rounded the near turn and started down the far side, Gough had his mount running over the top of horses. He went into the lead midway down the far side, and then withstood a strong challenge from there to the finish line from Mrs. C. E. Adams' Gift of Gold, to win by two and a half lengths. Twelve lengths back, Danny Deever took third by virtue of Ourarms falling at

the last fence. War Gold, a first time starter, also fell at the last fence with Danny Marzani, who broke several bones in his foot. Beacon Light was pulled up and apparently broke down. The only other starter was Uncle Sam. He fell at the sixth fence while running well. His rider, James Smiley did a somersault, and landed on his feet in a manner to qualify him for an Olympic team.

Cl. 'chase, abt. 2 mi., 4 & up. Purse, \$3,500. Net value to winner, \$2,275; 2nd: \$700; 3rd: \$350. Winner: blk. g. (3) by Boston Mat-War Caddy, by War Call. Trainer: J. Ryan. Breeder: Mrs. W. O. Moss. Time: 3:50 2-5.  
1. Mechanize, (J. Grabosky), 136, R. Gough.  
2. \*Gift of Gold, (Mrs. C. E. Adams), 136, F. D. Adams.  
3. Danny Deever, (L. H. Nelles), 139, J. Penrod.  
7 started, 3 finished; pulled up at (12th): Rokeby Stables' Beacon Light, 141, T. Field; fell, (13th): Mrs. C. W. Williams' War Gold, 133, D. Marzani; lost rider, (13th): Apheim Stable's Ourarms, 139, R. Miller; fell, (6th): G. H. Bostwick's \*Uncle Sam, 141, J. Smiley. Won driving by 2 1/2; place same by 12. Scratched: Merchantman, George Corn.

The following day, a seven horse steeplechase resulted in a nice contest with John M. Schiff's Philblant proving much the best. This Dubassoff trained jumper completed the two mile course in 3:46 2/5, after being well throttled by Jockey Fife most of the trip, riding with an English seat. Second place fell to Rigan McKinney's Hot, who made the pace for more than a turn of the field, and showed a nice effort for his debut over brush. Twenty lengths away in third position, Phalanger was lucky to get around after jumping poorly, and as it later developed, broke a bone in his foot in the running.

The Spar 'Chase, abt. 2 mi., 4 & up, allow. Purse, \$4,000. Net value to winner, \$2,600; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$400; 4th: \$200. Winner: B. g. (4), by \*Challenger II--\*Lola Montez II, by \*Stefan the Great. Trainer: O. T. Dubassoff. Breeder: J. M. Schiff. Time: 3:46 2-5.  
1. Philblant, (J. M. Schiff), 138, M. Fife.

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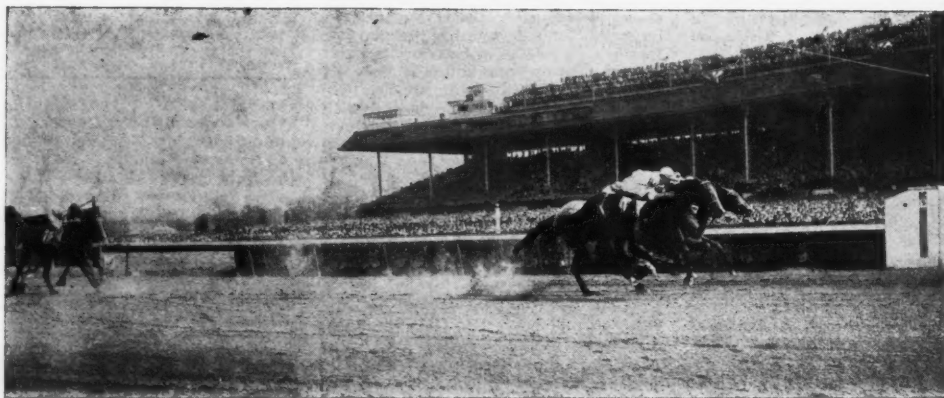
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## Marsh Marigold's daughter



### ... winning the Fashion Stakes

CALTHA is shown above holding off Picnic Lunch and Grey Flight at the finish of the Belmont Park's 1947 Fashion Stakes. Caltha (No. 10) is a daughter of Marsh Marigold, whose yearling filly will be sold at Saratoga in August.

To be sold by North Wales Stud  
at Saratoga, August 11

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	Marsh Marigold	*Sir Gallahad III	King Gorin
		Primrose	Pimenta
			*Freddy
			Flucky Liege
			Ultimus
			June Rose

Marsh Marigold is the dam of five winners from seven to race. She is out of the stakes winning Ultimus mare Primrose, dam of the stakes class horses Gold Prize and Reaping Glory, and other good winners and producers. The next dam, June Rose, was dam of the stakes winners Brown Bud and Tola Rose and granddam of numerous other stakes winners.

Head Play, sire of El Mono, Tola Rose, and other winners of over \$1,250,000, has a record of 73 per cent winners from all his foals.

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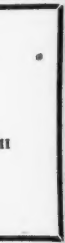


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# BREEDING

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# Racing

A SECTION  
DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS  
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Five famous names in racing were responsible for this neck verdict of Conniver over famous Gallorette in the Brooklyn at Aqueduct on July 17th. Bred by Alfred Vanderbilt out of the W.L. Brann-bred The Schemer, by \*Challenger II, the daughter of Discovery is owned by Harry La Montagne, trained by William Post and ridden by Ted Atkinson. A collection of racing names well calculated to out-game even such a one as Gallorette although it seems to have taken some conniving to do it. Third was Stymie, 4th Knockdown. N.Y. Racing Association Photo.

## Thoroughbreds

### Two-Year-Olds Turn In Some Fancy Times Until Officials Discover Racing Strip And Not Horses Have Improved The Breed

Joe H. Palmer

When the Aqueduct meeting began, the racing strip was slow, but safe. The 2-year-olds were scampering 5½ furlongs in 1:07 or so, occasionally going up to 1:08, and even 1:09. Moderate horses were running six furlongs in 1:12 and upwards. The rest of the distances were at about the same level.

Then all of a sudden the breed improved. Greek Blond went the 2-year-old distance in 1:05 1/5 on July 6. Next day The Admiral cut it to 1:10 2/5 for six furlongs. A \$3,500 plater managed the same distance in 1:11 3/5. Conniver, going for the Vagrancy, ran her first mile in 1:36 3/5.

Horsemen began to howl, and upon investigation discovered that the only thing the matter with the track was that it didn't have any cushion to speak of. Meanwhile Fria Quest, from the L. I. Greenberg stable, had broken down. Cain Hoy Stable's Blow Me broke a bone in his foot. Belair's Whirling Fox broke a bone in his foot. This was attributed to more than coincidence.

Hirsch Jacobs said as loudly as he could that if the track stayed that way, Stymie would not run in the Brooklyn Handicap. Ben Whitaker thought the hard track had beaten

Prince Quest in the Tremont Stakes. Ed Christmas, without saying anything, took Gallorette out of the Vagrancy Handicap.

There was a formal protest made on July 11, and on the following day the cushion was thrown back on the racing surface. The 5½ furlong opener was run in 1:09. Platers ran six furlongs in 1:13 2/5. Moderate horses ran it in 1:12 2/5. Matters, in other words, were right back where they were, and why they were ever changed was a matter for double-talk. But there was never a better lesson that the track, rather than the horses, makes the time.

The Great American Stakes produced, as the 2-year-old stakes this year have a way of doing, an upset. The Admiral had been better than nine to one when he took the Tremont. Greek Blond had been the third choice when she won her fourth race in four starts on July 6. In the Great American she was made the choice, and The Admiral was the second preference. So Prince Quest, at eight to one, came home sailing, by three lengths, with The Admiral second and Greek Blond fourth.

Mr. Whitaker, as noted, thought that Prince Quest, which had been fourth in the Tremont, had been ad-

versely affected by the hard track, and had simply run his race in the Great American. It may be so, but the notion here is that the 2-year-olds thus far in action are going to beat each other with some regularity. Maybe Saratoga will turn up some better ones, but up to here there's nothing that looks like a standout.

There were a couple of additional notes from Maryland, both having to do with the two best of the female division here. It has been previously noted that Gallette had followed a somewhat checkered career before she got to the W. L. Brann farm—first a prize yearling at \$11,000, then a \$250 cast-off which hadn't hurdled to suit William duPont, then a lady's hack, and then a purchase by Preston Burch, who had trained her for duPont. Finally, she went to Glade Valley to produce \*Challenger II foals, one for Brann, next for Burch, and so on. Gallorette was the first of these.

The new note was that Gallette was a problem matron, in that she wouldn't get in foal. She'd had one earlier, but she wouldn't repeat. Mr. Brann had two operations performed on her before she got in foal with Gallorette. On the whole, he thinks it was worth it.

The other note is on an operation which was not such a success. The Brann stable raced The Schemer some years ago, and she won her first two starts at three. She was, however, pigeon-toed, and her trainer (not identified beyond the fact that it wasn't the present trainer, Ed Christmas) and a veterinarian set about to get her feet straight. She never raced again, and was eventually sold to Alfred Vanderbilt. To the cover of Discovery she produced

Conniver. Apparently Maryland breeders have found quite a future in taking each others cast-offs, like the inhabitants of that island where people live by taking in each other's washing.

The Brooklyn proved the finest sort of race. If Gallorette had been at level weight with Conniver, she'd have won, I suppose, but the Discovery filly hits hard all the way. Aqueduct has the longest stretch in New York—about 1,500 feet—and Conniver started pitching at the top of it and was still pitching at the end.

It will be pointed out in certain quarters that both of these fine race mares were bred in Maryland, and in fact the geography of the race deserves a little attention. The field of six included three Marylanders (Knockdown was the other), Stymie from Texas, \*Miss Grillo from Argentina, and Safe Arrival, which was foaled in Kentucky but was shipped to Texas as a suckling. He ran last.

Even so, he may prove a fair horse eventually. His dam contracted distemper when he was foaled, and Safe Arrival got it. As a result, though he has the frame to make a big, strong colt, he's developed very slowly from a considerable setback, and there may be more to him than he showed in the Brooklyn.


Conniver, according to Billy Post, stands 16.3½, which means that she tops the brawny Gallorette by an inch and a half. She isn't as big through the body, but of course she's two years younger, and she'll probably put on more muscle as she develops. Neither the Discoveries nor the Challengers develop rapidly, though there have been exceptions such as Victory Morn, and Conniver, being a blend of the two, was slow to get going. But she's rolling now.

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# Mr. Busher's Arlington Triumph

Maine Chance's 2-Year-Old Proves Himself Outstanding Colt In His Class With Earnings of \$83,875

Frank E. Butzow

It would be a gross understatement to say merely that Mr. Busher's record and reputation remain unblemished, because they have been greatly enhanced and have added new lustre to the fame and glory of the family of \*La Troienne, his granddam and former Grand Duchess of Idle Hour.

In winning the Arlington Futurity last Saturday Mr. Busher confirmed everything good which had been said about him. He justified the judgment which impelled Mrs. Elizabeth Graham to pay \$50,000 for him as a weanling, a record price for a horse so young. In that transaction the Lady of Maine Chance Farm was aided and abetted by her mentor in Thoroughbred affairs, Leslie Combs II, master of Spendthrift Farm at Lexington, Ky.

In three starts Mr. Busher not only won himself out but has rung up a right nice profit on the original investment. His earnings now amount to \$83,875, of which sum \$62,725 was acquired in Arlington Park's contribution to the nation's futurity series. Before coming to Chicago he had garnered \$21,150 in the National Stallion Stakes and an overnight race at Belmont Park.

Trainer James W. Smith says Mr. Busher (allowing for difference in sex) is much like his elder sister, Busher, at the same age. The clever little gentleman should know. He trained 'em both.

Jimmie, former top-ranking rider, then training the horses of the late Edward R. Bradley, was considerably shocked when Col. Bradley sold Busher during her juvenile campaign in 1944 to Louie B. Mayer of Hollywood for \$50,000. It's common knowledge, of course, that Busher at 3 not only was the best of her age and sex, but was the best mare in training and earned the "horse of the year" title.

Mrs. Graham obtained the then unnamed Mr. Busher out of the dispersal of the Idle Hour horses following Col. Bradley's death two years ago. As a result of that sad event Jimmie Smith also was "dispersed," i. e., his job died with the colonel. So although he had known Mr. Busher only as a cavorting foal of high promise, it was a sort of reunion when Mrs. Graham engaged Jimmie Smith to train her horses as successor to Tom Smith (no relation.)

Brilliant as he seems to be, Mr. Busher has a mighty task before him if he is to be as good as his sister.

But Jimmie Smith is not given to idle talk and nonsense, so when he says the colt is much like his sister you had better mark the words. And on top of it all, Mr. Busher went a long way towards verifying the appraisal when he won the Arlington Futurity. If he didn't beat the best 2 year olds which have come out this year will someone kindly point out where they are.

As a matter of fact this 19th running of the Arlington Futurity (there were no renewals in 1929-30-31) was pretty much a three horse race, although there were sixteen starters. Mr. Busher drew No. 14 post position. But he was away fast under Ferrel Zufelt's guidance, was never far back while Olympia and Provocative (winners of the Primer and Hyde Park Stakes respectively) cut out a sizzling pace, with Olympia on the lead. That fellow shook off Provocative as they entered the stretch but at that moment Mr. Busher was upon him, took command and gradually lengthened the margin to a bit more than a length in a driving finish. The F. W. Hooper entry, Olympia and Ocean Drive, took second and fourth respectively (\$8000 and \$2000), while Provocative got \$4000 for Mrs. Emil Denmark by finishing third.

The quarter was run in: 21 3-5, three-eighths in: 32 2-5, the half in: 44 3-5, five furlongs in: 57 2-5, the three-quarters in 1:11.

Mr. Busher (War Admiral-Baby League, by Bubbling Over) is a good looking chestnut with off hind ankle white and a faint star considerably left of center.

Walmac Farm's 3-year-old Billings (\*Mahmoud—Native Gal, by \*Sir Gallahad 3rd, bled while engaging in the Lansing Purse which preceded the Futurity. The handsome, blazed-faced chestnut was regarded as Citation's chief rival in the forthcoming Arlington Classic. The race was won by Countess In, who ran down the pace-making Illinois-bred Hypostyle in the stretch run.

If there was any doubt as to whether Calumet Farm's bewitching 3-year-old filly, Bewitch, could carry her speed a mile it was dispelled in the Cleopatra Handicap on July 15. She can. She engaged eleven others of her age and sex, beat Jack Skirvin's (A. C. Ernst Estate) Alabue by four lengths, with Mrs. A. M. Dursch's Ann's Lee third, J. A. Kroeck's Blue Helen fourth. Time 1:36 4-5.

Jockey N. L. Pierson kept Bewitch

# Horsemen and Track Managements

Flurry of Break-Downs At Aqueduct Caused By Thinned Cushion On Racing Strip Rectified By Frank Keogh's Prompt Action

Bob Kelley

Where New York racing is concerned, track managements are becoming more conscious of the worries of horsemen than they have been for several years. It is, of course, only in the ranks of private soldiers during a long and boring war that you are able to hear more gripping than floats on the air at any race track from the morning works on down through the afternoon feeding and bedding down.

Trainers, jocks, stable boys—all hands are always able to run a race track better than those souls entrusted with it, and they make no bones about telling anyone within earshot exactly how it ought to be done. All of which is very pleasant and very healthy. The only trouble is that, with so much sound and fury, important things are liable to be lost in the general overtones. After all, the constant pounding of the surf is apt to put you to sleep at any beach unless you are very careful.

But no one knows horses better than the men who are training them, though Ed Christmas has said that's a gross exaggeration. "A horse can overcome almost anything," he says, "even a trainer. However, such as Gallorette would never have been what they are without the handling of the Marylander."

So that when these men talk about track conditions from the standpoint of safety and well being of their charges, they should be listened to, and they are. It started two or three years ago when the New York presidents asked for, and received, a committee among trainers who brought to them complaints and suggestions. That committee performed some excellent work. It grew a little lax with age, but the seed had been well planted.

It worked admirably with Aqueduct this year. And here is a belated bouquet to Aqueduct for its handling of a track situation. Not only this department, but horsemen themselves were complimentary.

In hand and out of trouble to the turn, where she was sent to the outside. In moving up she drifted in, soon took command and won going away. Alabue's rider, Tony Skoronski, claimed a foul, but the stewards were satisfied that Bewitch had won on her merits. Excepting the 6 1-2 furlong Westchester Futurity last fall when she finished third to her stablemate, Citation, the Cleopatra

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Frank Keogh, himself once one of the world's leading jockeys, has been the Aqueduct track superintendent. He has always had a deep, safe cushion. This year, it seemed to pile up a bit too deep in the middle, thus giving an unfair advantage to the horses which came through on the rail. When some horses began to show signs of foot trouble and leg trouble and when new records began to appear at a track which was not going in for this kind of racing, it became evident something had happened to the track.

So Ed Kilroe, general manager, put on his old Army shoes and went out to walk surface with Keogh. They found that rains and wind had thinned it out too much along the rail. They began that Saturday morning to ratify this. Not satisfied with that alone, they called in five trainers for the following Sunday morning and together all hands carefully inspected the track, made suggestions and Keogh and Kilroe carried them out. The result was a return to an even, safe surface and a slow running of The Brooklyn.

Saratoga, the past two seasons, has been plagued by horsemen's complaints that the surface was too hard and for a time it was, as attested by records. But it was entirely resurfaced last year and this year officials have made two flying trips upstate to be sure the surface is carefully cushioned.

A measurement of 2 1-2 to 3 1-2 inches for the cushion has been agreed on by most trainers as providing the ideal racing surface. That is the way the Saratoga track was when it was thrown open for early arrivals the week of this writing.

But to maintain this, work day and night is required. Hundreds of tons of water are used, the surface is constantly harrowed and cut into and constant supervision is the only way the meeting can go successfully through with satisfaction to all hands.

It is probable that it will be some time before any sensational track records are broken in New York on any of its tracks. There are some who seem to feel this means a 'good deal in track publicity, but that is a mistaken belief. Racing continues too long in New York to take a chance on pounding surfaces. Most of the stables stay here through the season and they have to keep their stuff going properly right through to the close. A crippled horse eats as much as a sound one.

## TEN LEADING AMERICAN STAKES WINNERS

(Through July 17)

### 10 LEADING SIRE OF STAKES WINNERS

	Races Won	1st Monies Won
BULL LEA (Citation 10, Coaltown 3, Bewitch 3, Faultless)	17	\$564,500
HASH (Flashco, Salmagundi 2)	3	200,670
REQUESTED (My Request 5, Miss Request, Prince Request)	7	159,810
PANTALON (*Talon 2)	2	149,800
WAR ADMIRAL (Mr. Busher 2, Blue Peter 2, The Admiral)	5	124,675
MIDSTREAM (*Shannon II 3)	3	117,280
*MAHMOUD (Macbeth, Marabout, Quarter Pole, Speculation, Vulcan's Forge 2, Billings)	7	110,525
REAPING REWARD (May Reward 2, Star Reward 2, Eternal Reward 2, Fertile Lands)	7	108,950
*ALIBHAI (On Trust 3, Solidarity)	4	105,980
DISCOVERY (Knockdown 2, Conniver 2, Miss Disco, Kitchen Police)	6	104,625

### 10 LEADING BREEDERS OF STAKES WINNERS

	Races Won
Calumet Farm	20
L. B. Mayer	9
B. F. Whitaker	9
A. G. Vanderbilt	8
Elmendorf Farm	7
Idle Hour Stock Farm	7
J. McGrath (Erie)	5
G. D. Widener	5
H. M. Woolfe	4
W. L. Jones, Jr.	4

### 10 LEADING OWNERS OF STAKES WINNERS

	Races Won
Calumet Farm	20
B. F. Whitaker	8
W. G. Helis	7
King Ranch	6
Montrose Stable	5
F. W. Hooper	5
Maine Chance Farm	5
E. O. Stice & Sons	4
Woolford Farm	4
Brookfield Farm	4

### 10 LEADING TRAINERS OF STAKES WINNERS

	Races Won
H. A. Jones	13
W. Molter	11
J. P. Conway	9
B. A. Jones	7
T. W. Dunn	5
I. H. Parke	5
M. Hirsch	5
W. Booth	5
J. W. Smith	5
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## Worthy of Inspection!

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*BAY COLT... 15.2	Pasteurized	Milkman	Cudgel
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		Potheon	Tetralena
			Harpichord
			Wildair
			Rosie O'Grady

\*Registered name "Formula", first foal of Rita Z.

Pasteurized, himself a stakes winner (Belmont Stakes and East View Stakes), has had 16 winners out of 17 starters in his first five crops. He is the sire of the stakes winners Early Delivery and Buttermilk.

Rita Z, a winner, is half-sister to the Stakes winners Pot O'Luck (Classic Stakes, Jockey Club Gold Cup, Lawrence Realization, etc.) and Bewitch (Hyde Park, Pollyanna and Arlington Lassie Stakes, The Princess Pat and The Washington Park Futurity, etc.).

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## ROLLING PLAINS FARM WILL SELL 5 Yearlings AT THE SARATOGA SALES On Friday, August 13th

- Brown filly by Milkman—Wound Up by Stimulus.**  
In 1947 Milkman's racing progeny accounted for 96 firsts, 130 seconds and 110 thirds for a total of \$273,628. Wound Up, dam of the winner Jackajones, is by Stimulus (sire of producers of the stakes winners Sun Again, Mrs. Ames, Rippey, Fervent and many others).
- Chestnut filly by Milkman—Ulalume by Stimulus.**  
Ulalume is the dam of the winners Hard Trek and Jersey Isle, and is sister to the stakes winner Strange Device and the winners Bourta, Escorial, Akron Gal, etc.
- Bay colt by Milkman—Gala Moment by \*Sir Gallahad III.**  
This colt, jointly owned with Mr. William F. Hitt, is full brother to the stakes winner Galactic, winner Pimlico Nursery, Survivor Stakes, etc.
- Chestnut colt by Case Ace—Moving Star by \*North Star 3rd.**  
Case Ace was only out of the money once in nine starts. He is the sire of the stakes winners Pavot (unbeaten and leading money winner at two), Lochinvar, Hurriette, Ace Card, Nance's Ace, Trojan Fleet, etc. Moving Star is the dam of the stakes winner Equistar and the winners Tim O'Shank, Saros, Miami Moon, Celtics, etc.
- Brown filly by Pictor—Chessel by \*Sir Gallahad III.**  
Pictor won \$111,410 including Chesapeake and Laurel Stakes and is sire of the 1947 winner two-year-old Chimney Babe (4 wins) from his first crop. Chessel is a half-sister to the stake winner Farmerette (dam of the stakes winner Miss Mommy), and the two-year-old winner Cheesecloth.

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## FRIDAY NIGHT August 13



## Italy's Best Stayer In England

**M. Tesio's Tenerani Captures England's Queen Elizabeth Stakes To Defeat Mr. Woodward's Black Tarquin By Head**

Thomas Clyde

Saturday, July the 10th, was international day at Ascot. The Queen Elizabeth Stakes of 24,000 dollars run over a mile and a half brought together five good class colts and fillies, and introduced Italy's best three-year-old stayer of last year, Tenerani. The question was, how to rate events in Italy with those in France and England. Tenerani had won four classic races at home, and continental judges were known to put him on a par with Souverain. Also in the field were Mr. William Woodward's Black Tarquin, whose performance at Royal Ascot in beating The Cobbler so readily indicated that he was at his best and would get the extra half mile. Then there was M. Boussac's Nirgal, a winner over the course last year, and three useful stayers, the French-bred Honourable II, and the English Aurialia, and Mombasa. Black Tarquin was in receipt of 18 lbs from Tenerani, being the weight for age allowance and conditions of the race.

Tenerani, a grandson of Apelle, was not very imposing in the paddock, but in cantering to the post it was easy to see that his reputation was well earned. He had a long low stride and moved in delightful style. Nirgal appeared to have trained off in the past weeks, while on the other hand Capt. Boyd-Rochfort had Black Tarquin at the top of condition. He is a horse of great power, and his trainer deserves all credit for the patient way the colt has been handled. Tenerani was favourite at 2-1 in the betting, Black Tarquin at 9-4, and Nirgal at 3's.

Gordon Richards took Mombasa into the lead on entering the straight and Camici, Tenerani's Italian jockey making his first appearance in England, went after him. Britt on Black Tarquin bided his time and came with a late run at the Italian Champion close to the post. Camici on the rails position showed unusual restraint for a continental jockey, and drove his horse strongly without any whip flourishing. Britt just failed to get to terms, and, as the photo finish showed, went down by a short head. This very fine performance by the three year old Black Tarquin removes any doubt as to his stamina, and confirms the opinion that he was unsuited to the Derby course and must now be seriously considered for the St. Leger in September.

Tenerani's owner is Signor F. Tesio, the doyen of Italian racing. He is now 80 years old, and has owned many brilliant horses, including Nearco and Donatello II. Tenerani is descended from St. Simon in the male line, and is by Bellini out of Tofanella. He is to stay over here to run against Arbar in the Goodwood Cup at the end of the month.

Arbar, the winner of the Gold Cup at Ascot and rated the best stayer in Europe, is not going to have things all his own way for the rest of the season. Not only is he being challenged by Tenerani at Goodwood, a challenge which I consider he will successfully contend with, but he will have to withstand the remarkable finishing speed of a French bred, English owned and trained, stayer, Vulgan, (by Sirian out of Vulgate). At the Royal Ascot meeting, Vulgan, won the Queen Alexandra Stakes. There were those present who thought that the race was falsely run, and that the victory was not conclusive. On Saturday in the Sunninghill Stakes, Vulgan opposed the Belgian Champion Bayeux II over two miles. It will be remembered that Bayeux II was second to Arbar in the Gold Cup. Before Saturday's race his owner was prepared to take 140,000 dollars for a quick sale! In a field of three they laid 2-1 on Bayeux and 2-1 against Vulgan. The Belgian jockey, Wolanders, had to make his own running and set a good gallop, but he

failed to run Vulgan off his legs. Rae Johnstone, Vulgan's usual jockey who had flown especially from France, kept within striking distance, and a furlong from the post swooped down with a paralysing burst of speed that literally left Bayeux standing. This performance puts Vulgan into the class labelled 'great stayer' and will make senior classmate Arbar look to his laurels in September.

This contest if it materialises will be worth going a long way to see. Both horses have remarkable turns of finishing speed, and their jockeys will want to use the same tactics. Few people will even consider the thought that Arbar can be beaten. But few people thought that Bayeux II could be beaten. A great deal can happen in the intervening eight weeks, and the connections of Vulgan know that no prophecies can be made about their horse until the very last minute. It can all depend

## E. W. Anderson's Work, Done On Stone, Shows Knowledge of Subject

E. W. Anderson of Mason, New Hampshire is one of the foremost animal painters in this country. He has recently done a number of sporting pictures of top race horses both at stud and on the tracks. The picture on the cover is a lithograph completed last Fall and is of a mare and foal at Janon Fisher's Farm in Maryland, the foal being by Swing and Sway.

The comparison of the older horse and the young, eager foal is finely executed and the whole composition makes a most interesting study illustrating the mature work of one of our best artists. Many horsemen have read books illustrated by Mr. Anderson, Tomorrow's Champion, A Touch of Greatness, Big Red, Thoroughbreds, Deep Through the Heart, Black, Bay And Chestnut which are illustrated by his lithographs on stone but not many have

on the weather. If it is hot, Vulgan kicks at the flies, sweats and gets upset, as highly strung colts will. If it is cool, he is the model of a racing machine. I should know, I have helped to saddle the horse for all his races in this country.

seen his paintings that are not so well known.

Last year there was an exhibition of some 20 of these paintings at the Ferargil Galleries on 57th Street in New York which included among a number of foal and broodmare paintings, favorites with this artist, pictures of War Admiral, Count Fleet and Titan Hanover and a 30" by 40" painting of Man o' War. Mr. Anderson is a good horseman himself, and rides a great deal in New England where he spends his summers. Winter finds him in Aiken where there are more horses to illustrate and where he did a picture last year recently published in The Chronicle of Ossabaw and Flying Dolphin.

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## Almost Half Of The Entire Crop Of Calumet Yearlings Are Being Offered For Sale

**At KEENELAND On**  
**Thursday Night, July 29**

- Bay filly by Bull Lea—Still Blue, by Blue Larkspur.
- Bay filly by \*Blenheim II—Blue Lily, by Blue Larkspur.
- Bay filly by \*Blenheim II—Light Lark, by Blue Larkspur.
- Bay filly by Whirlaway—Larkflower, by Blue Larkspur.
- Chestnut colt by Whirlaway—Hastily Yours, by John P. Grier.
- Bay filly by Whirlaway—Thine, by \*Sir Gallahad III.
- Bay colt by Chance Play—Potheen, by Wildair.
- Chestnut filly by Sun Again—Lyric, by American Flag.
- Bay colt by Sun Again—Lady Erne, by \*Sir Gallahad III.
- Chestnut colt by Sun Again—\*Miss Erere III, by Buchan.
- Bay filly by Ocean Wave—Sunny Meadow, by Bull Lea.

## Calumet Farm

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## Breeders' Notes

A. A. Baldwin

### HEADLINER

Undoubtedly the most exciting news of the week, bar none, was the report that the English Jockey Club has appointed a committee to study the possibility of "opening" their General Stud Book to Thoroughbreds registered in other countries. Even more exciting than that, however, will be the announcement, when, and IF it comes, that they will actually agree to "re-accept" these horses.

### BRAIN TWISTERS

In the Saratoga yearling catalogue are colts and fillies whose pedigrees suggest some wonderful names. For instance, Cold Spring Farm's colt by New World—At Dusk; Del Brier Breeding Farm's filly by Peace Chance—Deserving; and Tranquility Farm's colt with the nostalgically named pappa and mamma, Time Passes—Happy Seas. One of the best possibilities for a humorous name in the past ten years when the chestnut by Prince of Wales and imported refinement was called Abdication, is one of the Country Life Farm's lots by imported Rounders—No Tip. Mrs. L. M. Eley has a filly by Pass Out—Personage and Pine Brook Farm has another Pass Out—\*Adorable II. Some others are: Lookout Stud's Hash—Little Thrill and their Bold and Bad—Unfortunate; Pine Brook again, this time an Attention—Picture Hat (which traces to Red Head); Le Mar Stock Farm with a colt by Pari Mutuel—Box Office; J. L. Cleveland has three possibilities, all colts, by Tiger—Buzcat, Eternal Bull—Can I and Requested—Playstyle; and J. B. Hurst, he of the many Man o'War mares, with a colt by Requested—War Party.

### GOOD THING AT ARLINGTON

Did you see where Arlington Park patrons let a good thing slip away from them the other day when Mrs. Ada Rice's Lord Bull reported in at a \$45 mutuel? This may be a record price for a son of Bull Lea.

### HANDSOME IS

The most racy looking yearling we've seen this summer looks very much like that great race horse and sire, Domino, and he has none of his blood. This is a black colt headed for Saratoga by the young sire, Hal-tal and is out of Buzcuzn (1942), consigned by Jonabell Stables. He is a second foal. His older sister, Oh Irene Oh, 2-year-old of this year, has not started. His pedigree, top and bottom, is packed with illustrious blood, but it is more his looks that will capture the fancy of buyers.

### ELMSNDORF SETTLEMENT

The partnership under the name Elmendorf Farm will be dissolved July 31st. Eventually, after settlement of the estate of the late P. A. B. Widener, the property will be turned over to his son, P. A. B. III. Mrs. P. A. B. Widener's broodmares and her sire, Polynesian, will be transferred to Ira Drymon's Gallaher Farm.

### COMMAND BID

A few columns back we mentioned the yearling colt which the partnership of Nydrie Stud and Arthur B. Hancock is sending to Keeneland. The Hancocks' large consignment will be sold on Thursday afternoon, the last day of the sales. In this group is a filly bound to command active bidding. She is a dark bay by Questionnaire out of the young matron, Risky Raid, whose first foal, if memory serves us right, was Riskolater. Questionnaire has been a huge success, begetting such good sires as Hash, Sweep Swinger, Requested and Alquest. Risky Raid is by that top English 2-year-old of another year, \*Foray II. Her dam is by Stimulus. She is a descendant of the foundation mare, Renaissance, from whom have come many of the Aga Khan's best broodmares, as well as the "Risk" family in America.

### BUSINESS FILLY

Everyone who knew THE queen remembers she was a most charming competitor (41 wins) and holder of four track records. We refer, of course, to Royal Business whose first foal Capt. Ewart Johnston is sending

to Saratoga. "Business", for nearly all her career on the turf raced for "Capt. Jack" and trainer, Red Kent. Towards the end, however, as women are wont to do, she slipped out of their arms—but soon repented and slipped right back again. Capt. Johnston decided to test the mountaineer—wife theory and got Royal Business in foal. She has not strayed away from home since. The result of this union is a lovely bay filly by Supremus which takes after her dam, and will be sold by Fasig-Tipton on the night of August 13th. There are two other yearlings, both colts, which make up this small numbers consignment. All are of just the right size and are in very healthy condition—fat but not too fat to start breezing this fall.

### CALUMET'S CATALOGUE

Probably it was Mrs. Margaret Glass who thought up the brochure on this year's yearlings from Calumet. If you haven't received this humorous pamphlet, we suggest you send for it because it will someday become a collector's item. Of all the promotion stunts we've come across, this is far and away the best.

### MODEST COLDSTREAM

Annually, every Coldstream yearling is much in demand. There are many reasons why this is so, one being that 13.7% of the yearlings they send to the sales win stakes of which a good many are won as 2-year-olds. So, we believe, their ad is tops in modesty and understatement, reading, "We HOPE to sell 25 yearlings at Keeneland." You don't fool us, Charley Kenney. Probably the lowest price you will get is \$5,000. As a matter of fact, we'll "start 'em" for you at a hundred bucks just so none go unsold.

### THE TWO ENGLISH-BREDS

Did you realize that only two English-bred yearlings will be offered at auction this year at Saratoga? None at Keeneland. These are colts by Bellman, son of Achtoil, and by Scratch, a son of Fairway. They are out of the winning and producing mares \*Cedarhurst and \*Accelerate which were shipped by boat to this country late last winter with their offspring. Soon after arrival, the yearlings were bought by Mr. and Mrs. Ian Montgomery of Warrenton, turned out on their farm there to regain condition after a rather long and rough passage. They have now bloomed forth into hardy and healthy looking individuals, showing the benefits coming from luscious and fresh pastures.

### WINNING WAYS

There is an old expression that horses run well in all shapes and sizes. This knowledge is what antagonizes most bystanders at horse shows, especially when the fattest, shiniest or "best owned" horse gets the conformation championship. Be that as it may, principal winning race horses have certain characteristics in common. As is the case in discussions of politics, religion, type of horse or preference for blonde or brunette, arguments are endless and nothing is settled. Some people go for a kind eye, others a short back, still others look for big bone (horrible) or a short cannon. In our ash can are all theories of long necks, good rumps and straight hind legs. Outside of the unpredictable factors "determination" and "heart", first class race horses, whether on the flat or over fences, have the following features recognizable by eyesight: a sloping shoulder, a long croup or pelvic bone, wideness between the stifle muscles when looked at from the rear, and a general impression of a "diamond shape" in profile. Or don't you think so! Of the 1947 champions which are examples of horses without a chance at a horse show are: France's leading 3-year-old, Arbar; England's leading sire, Nearco, and our own—Phalanx, Gallorette and Bewitch. There were two roads, so the song goes, to Loch Lomond. New Broom (7,500) was on one. Alsab (\$700) was on the other. An infinitum. The Latins had words for it: Deo Volente and Caveat Empor.

## The Keeneland Stud YEARLINGS

TO SELL JULY 29

Last Night of Breeders' Sales

R. c., Chance Shot—Grey Mood, by \*Mahmoud—Silver Beauty.

Second foal of half-sister to War Beauty and Silver Horde.

Ch. c., The Finest—Jeanne d'Arc, by Man o'War—Jeanne Bowdre.

Half-brother to Fille d'Orlean. Out of three-fourths sister to Grand Slam.

Ch. c., Invermark—Jane Rachel, by High Time—Gypsy Gold.

Five-eighths brother to Silvers Pride.

B. c., Jean Valjean or Invermark—Bobbles, by \*Sir Gallahad III—\*Bobolink II.

Half-brother to Dixiana.

Ch. c., Invermark—Frances Keene, by Jean Valjean—Tesuque.

Second foal. Half-brother to Laurel Road. Second dam is 100% producer of 12 winners, 108 races.

Ch. f., The Finest—Yellow Rose, by Jean Valjean—Yellow Blossom.

Out of sister to Yellow Tulip. Yellow Blossom is dam of 11 winners of 136 races. This is the last horse to be sold on the last night.

Ch. f., Grand Slam—Lovie, by \*Donnacona—Brown Letty.

Sister to Seven Hearts.

## FOUR YEARLINGS TO BE SOLD AT Saratoga on August 19th



B. f. by Vincentive—New Shoes by Mr. Bones. New Shoes (winner) by a stakes winner, is half-sister to SAILOR BEWARE.

### ALSO

B. f. by Buster—Busy Marie (winner) by Busy American. Busy American sired many stakes winners. Buster is by \*Bull Dog, sire of Bull Lea and many other stakes winners.

Ch. c. by Gallant Fox (Triple Crown winner) out of Ene (winner) by Challenger II. Ene is full sister to MOON MAIDEN (broke track record at Hialeah). Also full sister to Moon Drift, dam of the winners Silver Drift and Starway.

Ch. f. by Vincentive—Blossom Rose by Guest of Honor. Blossom Rose is out of Twidgets a winner at 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6. Vincentive is by \*Challenger II, leading sire in 1944, '45, '46.

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HORSE	SALES PRICE	Winnings to Dec. 31, 1947
BIG IF	\$8,500	26,425
CORNISH KNIGHT	2,600	50,655
KNOCKDOWN	2,000	118,945
NEARWAY	14,000	34,925
RED SHOES	4,500	54,480
RIPPEY	12,000	134,250
ROYAL GOVERNO	9,200 00	60,645 100

Both CORNISH KNIGHT and RIPPEY were bred by Nydrie Stud and were sold at the summer sales.

In 1948 they continue to increase their earnings. CORNISH KNIGHT to the end of May has earned \$18,250 for total winnings of \$68,905.

RIPPEY up to July 10 of this year has earned \$74,290 for total winnings of \$208,540.

## THIS YEAR NYDRIE WILL SELL TEN YEARLINGS AT SARATOGA ON THURSDAY. AUGUST 12. THEY ARE:

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| Brown Colt by Occupation—Seaway<br>by Man o'War | Bay Filly by *Challenger II—Gallant<br>Lady by *Sir Gallahad III |
| Chestnut Colt by Pilate—Scottswood<br>by *Ksar  | Chestnut Filly by Pilate—Ensigns Up<br>by Gallant Sir            |
| Bay Colt by Flares—Navy Nurse<br>by War Admiral | Bay Filly by Johnstown—Mrs. Punch<br>by Stimulus                 |
| Bay Colt by Flares—Peggy Byrne<br>by Stimulus   | Chestnut Filly by *Hyperionion—Curles<br>by *Omar Khayyam        |
| Dark Bay Colt by Maxim—Bubbles<br>by Hard Tack  | Bay Filly by Tintagel—*Highland Dell<br>by *Craig an Eran        |

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## BREEDING

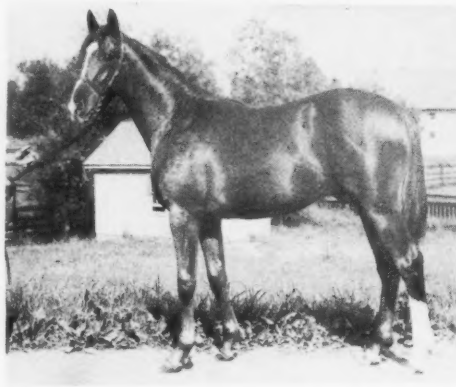
### Top Yearlings Headed For Keeneland

Four hundred and forty three yearlings, the produce of 108 stallions are leaving their homes for the first time this week to embark on new and venturesome careers. Many will fall by the wayside, unable to stand the training grind. They will be dispersed to the far winds, but the majority will earn money for their new owners, and a chosen few will make records and go down in history as the great racehorses of the year. One hundred and three farms have consigned yearlings to Keeneland this year, the largest being that of the Walter J. Salmon's Mereworth with forty head. Arthur B. Hancock, Sr. and Jr. are next with a total of 34, followed by Elmen-dorf and Coldstream with 26 and 25 respectively. Prices are expected to remain high throughout Keeneland's great summer sale which is attracting owners, trainers and breeders who for weeks have been thumbing through catalogues, adding, evaluating, viewing and guessing the comparative merits of the bloodstock from which everyone hopes to secure a Citation or a Stymie.



THE CHRONICLE

An outstanding prospect in Mereworth's consignment of 40 is the Count Fleet - Swiftly bay filly, out of a mare with 6 foals to race, all winners, and by one of the outstanding young sires in the country. This filly is beautifully withered, has good knees and hocks.



L.to R. A.B. Hancock has a strong and well proportioned filly by Fighting Fox out of Sun Gamoria an 11-year-old matron with 6 winners to her credit. She is the round barreled, short coupled variety with strong underpinnings. Claiborne has produced some big, husky colts this year, one of the best of which is the chestnut son of \*Blenheim II - War Risk by Stimulus. He has something of the look of Whirlaway about him, with a long swinging walk. Arthur Hancock, Jr.'s son of Some Chance - Pigtail II is half-brother to Charm Prince, winner at 2 this year. He has a well defined tendon that gives him an exceptionally sound and clean legged appearance.



A good looking colt from Dr. Eslie Asbury's Forest Retreat Farm is the Blue Larkspur Ever Dear by Eternal. This colt stands over a lot of ground with an exceptionally fine sloping shoulder and wither. He has a head and neck of great quality, looks every inch a racehorse. His dam among other winners, produced to the cover of Questionnaire, Aladear, a winner of \$66,542 to the end of 1947.



In a consignment of 25 Dale Shaffer is sending to Keeneland from Coldstream this colt by Reaping Reward - Lull, \*Bull Dog, is very well developed, and as the picture shows, an active youngster. Lull's most notable progeny is Albatross by Mate, who was a 3 time stakes winner.

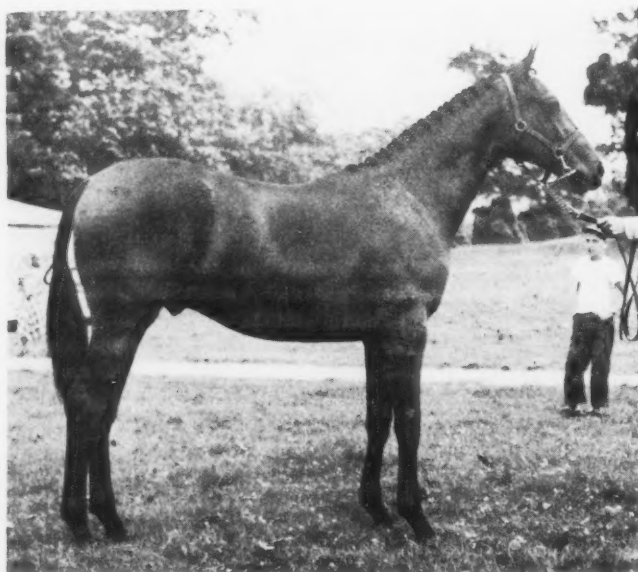
#### AT SARATOGA

#### AUGUST 10—FIRST NIGHT

#### 1947 BAY COLT

Outstanding Breeding and Conformation

#### LOT 41



#### \*JACOPO—BRAVE MAID, by MAN O'WAR

The sire needs no introduction.

The dam has produced 8 WINNERS including Myrmidon, who at two last year won over \$11,000, broke the track record and placed in Ardsley Stakes.

MARTIN VOGEL, JR. Broadview Farm, Warrenton, Va.



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**Aqueduct 'Chasing**

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2. Hot (R. McKinney), 133, R. S. McDonald.  
3. Phalanger (A. Bonuomo), 141, J. Schweizer.  
7 started, and finished; also ran (order of finish): J. Bosley, Jr.'s Fieldfare, 143, B. Anstett; E. F. Taylor's Kordofan, 137, P. Smithwick; L. H. Nelles' George Corn, 141, O. Brown; C. M. Kline's Pasture Rider, 140. Won easily by 3½; place driving by 20; show same by 10. No scratches.

On Wednesday, a dozen maiden hurdlers were sent off to a very ragged start, and the field continued that way to the finish with Shamrock Stable's Lion Rampant, an even money favorite, an easy winner by six lengths, after running close to the pace all the way, and then taking command in the last quarter from Top Knot the pacemaker. Leche Hombre, formerly trained by Emmett Roberts, took third place ten lengths back, and another eight lengths in front of Walter Raleigh, another Roberts trained jumper, temporarily under the care of John Ryan. Lion Rampant ran the mile and a half in 2:52 over a course that was heavy from overnight rains, and won impressively. According to Jack Skinner who trains him, this five-year-old son of \*Blenheim 2nd, out of War Regalia by Man o'War will be sent to the stud next season. Lion Rampant has proved himself a handy kind on the flat, but has been a little slow in proving himself in the infield. This was his sixth start this year, after the previous effort last Saturday, when he ran second to H. Hour.

Mdn. hurdles, abt. 1½ m., 3 & up. Purse, \$350. Net value to winner, \$2,375; 2nd: \$700; 3rd: \$350; 4th: \$175. Winner: B. h., (5), by \*Blenheim II—War Regalia, by Man o'War. Trainer: J. T. Skinner. Breeder: W. M. Jeffords. Time: 2:52.

1. Lion Rampant, (Shamrock Stable), 143, T. Field.  
2. Top Knot, (H. Kaplan), 137, J. Penrod.  
3. Leche Hombre, (H. A. Dunn), 142, D. Clingman.  
12 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Mrs. R. E. Shepard's \*Walter Raleigh, 143, B. Anstett; W. Y. Goldsborough's Hattie K., 138, W. Mallinson; J. M. Jenkins' Boswellian, 141, C. Nix; T. Spratt's Pole Star, 132, K. Field; Mrs. C. MacLeod's Boomerang, 133, W. Siedlar; Miss E. Thompson's Tie Plate, 143, R. Gough; J. L. Cotter, Jr.'s Big Que, 140, Mr. J. Cotter, Jr.; P. Serramallera's \*Bigote, 135, J. Smith; J. B. Cribbins' Dispensary, 143, P. Maier. Won easily by 6; place driving by 10; show same by 8. Scratched: Done Sleeping, \*The Boyne.

The Sea Skipper, on Thursday, a two mile 'chase fashioned for Class D horses brought six postward, and developed into one of the best brush races seen at this meeting. Bayard Sharp's Tourist Pride, overlooked in the betting at almost 7 to 1, and under only 130 lbs. ran and jumped beautifully to cross the wire first by a length and a quarter in front of Rigan McKinney's Cash, who now has three seconds to his credit this year. Cash just lasted for the place when Dolly von Stade's D'Artagnan made a belated rush from the last fence home, just beaten a nose. The big disappointment of the race was Last Rock, favorite at 8 to 5, who attempted to take the lead several times, but never was quite able to get there. Coming into the last fence in fourth position, he dove into it, and tore out a board on the landing side, and ruined his chances there. Uncle Sam was third at the last fence, but he too put himself out of it, by bobbling and throwing his rider up on his neck. Gallant old Refugio was an also ran in this race, running last all the way.

Al. steeplechase, abt. 2 m., 4 & up. Purse, \$4,000. Net value to winner, \$2,600; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$400; 4th: \$200. Winner: B. g., (5), by \*Tourist II—Andrews Rose, by Hydromel. Trainer: W. Passmore. Breeder: J. S. Andrews. Time: 3:49.

1. Tourist Pride, (B. Sharp), 130, C. Peoples.  
2. Cash, (Mrs. C. Sullivan), 130, R. S. McDonald.  
3. D'Artagnan, (Miss D. F. von Stade), 130, J. Penrod.  
6 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): C. M. Kline's Last Rock, 145, P. Smithwick; G. H. Bostwick's \*Uncle Sam, 133, J. Smiley; Mrs. C. E. Adams' Refugio, 140, F. D. Adams. Won driving by ¼; place same by head; show same by 12. Scratched: Bill Coffman.

The last jumping race of the meeting on Saturday, brought twelve runners together in a mile and three quarter hurdle test. It was won by the best horse in the race at the surprising odds of better than six to one. This was Henry Horkheimer's seventeen hand, Rank, who went to the front shortly after the start and then galloped along for a mile and a half when Bohemia Stable's Snow King 2nd moved up to challenge. Bernard Anstett, the pilot of Rank, really had to go to work to keep the big horse going all around the

**Mr. Busher's Triumph**

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was Bewitch's first shot at anything beyond six furlongs.

William G. Helis' Irish-bred \*British Isles (Atout Maitre-The Jenith, by Transcendent) ran a clever race to beat ten others in the 1 3-16 mile Handicap (grass course) on July 15 but there was probably more interest in the 6-furlong Berwyn Purse that day.

This race attracted a small but unique field, namely: Dixiana's Spy Song 5, (122), probably the fastest most erratic, unpredictable, yet paradoxically consistent sprinter in the world today.

W. G. Helis' Rippey 5, (126), regarded currently as the nation's leading sprinter.

R. E. Cudahy's Tre Vit 4, (112), one of the most consistent race mares of recent years.

W. H. Veeneman's Phar Mon 3, (110), top rank sprinter among the

turn and down the stretch. At the last hurdle Snow King 2nd got within a length of the winner, but gave it up in the stretch run, as Rank went on to win by two and a half lengths. Ten lengths away Kordofan finished third, and another three lengths back, Crows Bill took down the short end of the purse.

The race was marred by a nasty spill on the far side when Top Knot fell at the seventh fence, and then Todmorden fell over him on the flat. James Penrod, the rider of Top Knot was carried off the field in the ambulance, and may have suffered a head injury, but Jockey Gough on Todmorden walked off the field.

The Aqueduct meeting ended what is perhaps something of a record. All told there were fifty one days of racing at Belmont and Aqueduct, and on each of these days, either a hurdle race or a steeplechase was run. In general the infield racing was of a very high calibre, with well contested races, and fifty one consecutive races is a record that takes a little looking up to beat. On the financial side, while pari-mutuel play was down from last year, there was a smaller decrease on the jumping races than on the flat.

Al. hurdles, abt. 1½ m., 3 & up. Purse, \$4,000. Net value to winner, \$2,600; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$400; 4th: \$200. Winner: Lt. b. g., (4), by Count Gallahad—Reighzelle, by Reigh Count. Trainer: J. Bosley, Jr. Breeder: Mrs. J. D. Hertz. Time: 3:14.

1. Rank, (H. S. Horkheimer), 142, B. Anstett.  
2. \*Snow King II, (Bohemia Stable), 146, C. Peoples.  
3. Kordofan, (E. P. Taylor), 133, D. Clingman.  
12 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Golden Acres Stud's Crow's Bill, 137, F. D. Adams; C. D. Dillon's \*Mr. Man, 131, J. Schweizer; G. Toomey's McFonson, 133, H. Harris; A. Untermyer's \*Done Sleeping, 133, C. Nix; Sanford Stud Farms' Fonda, 135, J. Pascuma; Mrs. F. Ingalls' Extra, 135, W. Tyree; D. B. Stephens' Farsight, 139, M. Flynn; B. Parker's Todmorden, 135, R. Gough; H. Kaplan's Top Knot, 130, J. Penrod. Won driving by 2½; place same by 10; show same by 3. Scratched: Big Bid.

current 3-year-olds.

Lookout Stud's Lookout Son, 4, (110), good sprinter last year who, on this occasion, "should have stood" in the barn.

Spy Song, as usual, went to the front, two lengths before Rippey. But the latter faltered when Phar Mon. challenged. Spy Song refused to extend himself after reaching the stretch and Phar Mon went on to win by two lengths from Tre Vit, who had swung wide and finished fast in the middle of the track. Spy Song, who usually gets part of the purse when he doesn't take first money, got third this time, with Ripper fourth.

Trainer Jack Hodgins thinks Spy Song acquired his habit of sulking

while suffering from a mysterious, insidious throat infection as a 3-year-old, an ailment which caused little or no fever. Dr. Charles Haggard discovered and treated the ailment but the temperamental stallion meanwhile had discovered that he felt better when he eased up on his blistering speed.

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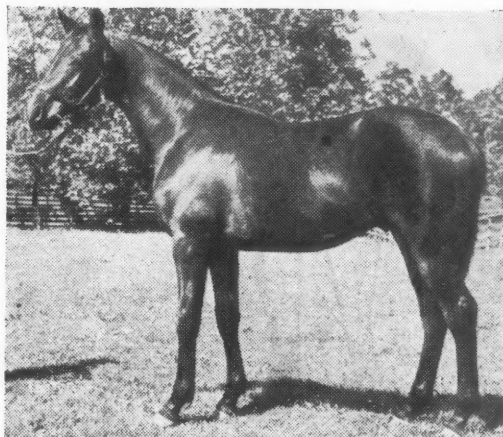
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## Egretta Wins 2 Stakes In New England

**North Wales Bred 2-Year-Old Defeats  
Eternal Flag In Betsy Ross For Jerry  
McCarthy To Boost Earnings To \$26,175**

Tom Shehan

Most of those who saw Jerry McCarthy's Egretta win the \$10,000 added Nursery Stakes during the recent Narragansett Park meeting thought that the Detroit auto dealer had picked himself up a nice kind of a filly when he claimed her for \$7,500 from Walter P. Chrysler, Jr., another automobile man, last winter at Hialeah, but they didn't expect to see her make it two stakes in a row in the \$10,000 added Betsy Ross Stakes at Suffolk Downs. Nor did they expect her to turn back such a speedy invader as Allan T. Simmons' Eternal Flag, winner of the Viscaya Stakes in Florida, the Astoria Stakes in New York and four other races, while doing it.

Eternal Flag, a bay daughter of Eternal Bull, that precocious sire of quick juveniles, and Earliana, a daughter of American Flag, had a victory over E. J. Lasker's aptly named Pail of Water to her credit prior to the Betsy Ross. And that daughter of Jack High—Up The Hill had gone out to Chicago and had beaten the best that the West could send against her in the \$50,000 Lassie Stakes at Arlington Park. Furthermore, Eternal Flag had beaten Egretta decisively in the Viscaya Stakes.

Egretta, however, had improved considerably by the time she hooked with Eternal Flag again in the Betsy Ross. And her race in that five and one half furlong event, which she won by three lengths in 1:05 2/5, was an improvement over anything she has shown to date.

The bay daughter of Ramillies—Polly Egret, who pins her ears back and seems to race low to the ground, couldn't outrun Eternal Flag for the

early lead. But when he saw that Harold Sconza, who has ridden the winners of three out of the four juvenile events run off in New England this year, took Egretta under a snug hold and was content to let her race along evenly about two or three lengths behind the Eternal Bull filly until the stretch turn. There he let out a couple of wraps on her and she quickly collared Eternal Flag and went to the front. The Simmons miss hung on gamely enough at Egretta's side under Charley LeBlanc's punishment until the final sixteenth of a mile, where Egretta opened up the three lengths margin she had at the wire.

The \$8,950 she earned in the Betsy Ross Stakes ran Egretta's earnings for the year up to \$26,175. Her time of 1:05 2/5 was one fifth of a second off the best time for the stakes set by the Good News Stable's Lady Gunner back in 1945.

One observation I would like to make about Egretta, which may or may not hold true in the future, is that she didn't seem to take too kindly to Harold Sconza's hitting her with the whip the one and only time he touched her up with it in the Betsy Ross. She spun her tail around like a pin wheel and thereafter Sconza was content to shake his bat under her eyes for the rest of the journey home.

Trainer Melvin (Sunshine) Calvert, a young ex-rider who quit the saddle in 1945 after the second of two bad spills he had during his career, conditions Egretta. When she won the Nursery Stakes for him it was the first time he had ever saddled a stakes winner. Calvert, who hails originally from Tennessee and started riding in 1932, is having more

success right now than at any time in his brief career as a trainer, having saddled 17 or 18 winners thus far this year.

Those scribes who journeyed to New York to see Citation win the Belmont Stakes, and there were more on hand from the provinces this year than usually take in that event, not only had the privilege of seeing the Calumet ace complete his Triple Crown, but probably also saw the top two-year-old of the year in the Maine Chance Farm's Mr. Busher, winner that day of the National Stallion Stakes. Mr. Busher, who commanded \$50,000 as a weanling, ran his string of unbeaten races to three in as many starts last week by winning the Arlington Futurity and gave every indication of being worth that fifty grand by the manner of his victory.

The scheduled peace conference among the New England tracks and racing commissions didn't get anywhere after the delegates to it sat in session from 7:30 P. M. until 2:00 A. M. in the State Room of Boston's Copley Plaza Hotel. Everybody, so 'tis said by those who were in attendance, was agreeable to making any concession for peace except the Rhode Island State Racing Commission, consisting of Testa, Greenhaigh and Hughes, and B. A. Dario, the Lincoln Downs manager. Lincoln Downs was offered additional days at the meeting, but still wouldn't budge

to make way for the elimination of the conflict between Rockingham Park and Narragansett Park. Almost a week later Lincoln Downs came out with a publicity release suggesting that maybe it should have accepted the terms offered it at the meeting and that if Narragansett Park and Rockingham Park would still give up dates peace might result. Naturally, that release not only didn't say that the date shift suggested would give Lincoln Downs more than 100 days during the season, but it also neglected to say that Lincoln wasn't giving up anything. Such a spirit of willingness to permit sacrifice on the part of its neighboring tracks indicates how well that minor league track with major league schedule stands with the politicians in the smallest of the forty-eight states. The next move should be interesting.

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## Virginia Breeding Show

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A-Bit-Tellmoff, by Runantell, Dr. A. C. Randolph; 3. Br. f., "Jacopo-Avoca, by "Quatre Bras II, Justin Funkhouser; 4. Ch. f., "Plate-Party Girl, by Grand Time, Justin Funkhouser; 5. B. f., "Snark-New Flower, by Discovery, Mrs. Taylor Hardin.

Foals, foaled May 1, 1948 or later—1. Ch. e., Whirlaway-War Wedding, by Man o'War, Mrs. George L. Harrison; 2. B. f., Star Beacon—Swing Time, by "Royal Minstrel, Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane; 3. B. f., First Fiddle—Sure Miss, by "Swift and Sure, Justin Funkhouser; 4. B. c., Ginobi—Miss Engadine, by Kai Feng, Peach Bros.

Yearling fillies—1. Br. f., Attention—Lotus Flower, by Whitchome, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Church II; 2. B. f., Apache—Epossa, by Espino, William Ziegler, Jr.; 3. B. f., Amphitheatre—Bacchanal, by Burgo King, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Maloney; 4. Babs Whey, ch. f., Milkman—Beau Babs, by "Gino, Mrs. Fay Ingalls; 5. Ch. f., Maxim—Pompaway, by Pompey, David Novick.

Yearling colts—1. Ch. c., Wait-A-Bit—Marching Home, by John P. Grier, William Ziegler, Jr.; 2. B. c., Can't Wait—Planetoid, by Ariel, David Novick and A. S. Hewitt; 3. Br. c., Attention—Angelus Tempo, by "Pharamond II, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Church II; 4. B. c., by "Princequillo—Shelter, by Espino, William Ziegler, Jr.; 5. Memnon, b. c., Sun Again—Birthstone, by "Belfonds, Howell Jackson; 6. Bk. c., War Admiral—Guarded Queen, by On Watch, Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane.

The Black Mat Challenge Trophy, best foal bred by exhibitor, whose sire or dam were also bred by same person—1. Ch. f., Wait-A-Bit—Marching Home, by John P. Grier, William Ziegler, Jr.; 2. Ch. c., First Fiddle—Light Brocade, by The Porter; 3. Ch. f., Wait-A-Bit—Tellmoff, by Runantell, Dr. A. C. Randolph; 4. Br. c., by "Jimmy—Safe-guard, by Okapi, Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane.

Get of sire—1. Wait-A-Bit: Ch. f., Wait-A-Bit—Jeune Fille, by Agrarian; Ch. c., Wait-A-Bit—Marching Home, by John P. Grier; Ch. c., Wait-A-Bit—Gentle Glow, by Pompey; Ch. c., Wait-A-Bit—Excalibur, by Tintagel, William Ziegler, Jr.; 2. Supreme: B. c., Supreme—Pavilion, by "Royal Minstrel; B. c., Supreme—Ann O'Sullivan, by Unbreakable; Ch. c. foal, Supreme—Celtic Legend, by Sir Andrew, Justin Funkhouser; 3. Runantell: Gr. f., Runantell—Dictybel, by "Belfonds; B. f., Runantell—Kissmew, by Menow; Tellmoff, Ch. m., 10 yrs., Runantell—Miss Pack-age, by Transvaal, Dr. A. C. Randolph.

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Isabel Dodge Sloane, Reserve—Ch. f., 3-18-48, Wait-A-Bit—Marching Home, by John P. Grier, William Ziegler, Jr.

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Yearlings—1. Sor. c., Mason de Malmaison—Princess, H. C. Thompson & Son; 2. Bk. f., William Page; 3. Nancy Malmaison, sor. f., Mason de Malmaison—Farceur Melody, Guy N. Cornell; 4. June's Little Lulu, blk. f., Brillegas—June, Richard R. Remsburg.

2-year-olds—1. Peggy Farceur, Guy N. Cornell; 2. Brillegas, Richard R. Remsburg; 3. Nettie Malmaison; 4. Eva's Nerva, William Page.

Pairs—1. Entry, H. C. Thompson & Son; 2. Entry, Richard R. Remsburg; 3. Entry, Guy N. Cornell; 4. Entry, William Page.

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# Texas Clinches League Championship

Fourth Straight Victory Gives Texans Commanding Lead After 15-7 Game With Bostwick Field

William F. Goodrich

Westbury, L. I.—Texas will not be denied the right to the first National Polo League championship. It's fourth straight victory by 15 to 7 last Sunday over Bostwick Field on Pete's field just about locked things up for Laddie Sanford's Rangers.

The Texas four is unbeaten with only one game left on the schedule and that with Westchester, which has not won in three games. So, you see, everything looks mighty rosy to Laddie Sanford who has not been playing because of a bad back. But, Larry Sheerin, Billy Skidmore, Cecil Smith and Hazard Leonard have been carrying on handsomely need anymore be said.

As a matter of fact it was Smith who sealed the latest triumph. He scored eight goals against Bostwick Field to run his over-all total for four games up to 29. Not bad at all for a 10-goal goaler. Meadow Brook, which had given Texas a tough fight up at Blind Brook the week before, in an 11 to 9 setback, relinquished second place to Blind Brook dropping a 7 to 5 decision to George Oliver's rejuvenated side.

In the third league contest, Westbury defeated Westchester, 10-6, on five goals each by Mike Phipps and Gilly Gilmore. This game was played at Blind Brook. Westbury entered into a two-way tie for third position with Meadow Brook.

Even if Texas should sweep through undefeated it can't be said that the league didn't stimulate fan interest with its close play. Texas packed a little too much power for all of the teams with the exception of Meadow Brook which could have won.

Bostwick Field figured to give the best of the group, which turned out

to be Texas, a good whirl for the title, but the worm turned and it has been Bostwick Field which has been pushed around. Bostwick Field has not won a game in three since it whipped Westchester, 20-6 on opening day.

Given two goals by handicap at the outset, the Bostwick Field team led Texas by 4 to 2 in the first period, 6 to 3 in the second and 6 to 5 at the half. Bottled up long enough, Texas was led out of the first half bottleneck by Smith in the final periods. Bostwick Field scored one goal to the oppositions 10. Is it any wonder that it lost?

The Bostwick-Texas game was televised. Buzzy Cochrane was cracked in the ribs by a hard drive by Smith, while Peter Grace went down in a collision with Texas in the fourth period. Neither Cochrane nor Grace were hurt.

Eddie O'Brien, who suffered a fractured wrist close to a month ago, returned to action with Bostwick field against Texas. He rode at No. 2 with a cast on his hand.

Blind Brook scored two goals in the final period to nose out Meadow Brook on Hitchcock Field. Oliver entered the game with a revised lineup. He was at No. 3, with Hayward Headen at No. 1, Paul Miller at No. 2, and Danny Peacock at back. Oliver scored 3 of his teams goals and Alan Corey turned in a like number for Meadow Brook.

Bethpage, with Frank Fox showing the way with five goals, won over the Falcons at the home lot.

The lineup:

<b>Texas (15)</b>	<b>Bostwick Field (7)</b>
1. Larry Sheerin	1. A. L. Cochrane
2. Billy Skidmore	2. Ed O'Brien
3. Cecil Smith	3. G. H. Bostwick
4. Hazard Leonard	4. J. P. Grace, Jr.

**Score by Periods**  
 Texas 15 2 1 2 4 4 2-15  
 Bostwick Field 7 4 2 0 1 0 0-7  
 Goals—Texas: Sheerin 2, Skidmore 5, Smith 8.  
 Bostwick Field: Cochrane, O'Brien, Bostwick, Grace 2, by handicap 5.  
 Referee: W. H. Gaylord. Time of periods: 7½ minutes each.

<b>Westbury (10)</b>	<b>Westchester (6)</b>
1. Gilly Gilmore	1. Bill Nichols
2. Marty Christensen	2. Riccardo Green
3. Mike Phipps	3. Al Parsells
Back—George Kent	Back—Fred Collin

**Score by Periods**  
 Westbury 10 3 0 1 3 3 0-10  
 Westchester 6 1 1 1 2 1 0-6  
 Goals—Westbury: Gilmore 5, Phipps 6.  
 Westchester: Green 1, Parsells 3, Collin 2.  
 Referee: Harry East. Time of periods: 7½ minutes.

<b>Bethpage (12)</b>	<b>Falcons (6)</b>
1. Frank Fox	1. Lew Dooley
2. Luke Travis	2. Ed Lynch
3. John Rice	3. John McCumiskey
Back—Walter Scanlon	Back—Bill Stoothoff

**Score by Periods**  
 Bethpage 12 2 2 3 2 2 1-12  
 Falcons 6 2 0 1 1 2 0-6  
 Goals—Bethpage: Fox 5, Travis 3, Rice 2.  
 Scanlon 2, Falcons: Lynch 2, McCumiskey 1.  
 Stoothoff 1, by handicap 2.  
 Referee: Johnny Brown. Time of periods: 7½ minutes.

<b>Blind Brook (7)</b>	<b>Meadow Brook (5)</b>
1. Hayward Headen	1. C. R. Leonard, Jr.
2. Paul Miller	2. Henry Lewis
3. George Oliver	3. A. L. Corey, Jr.
Back—Danny Peacock	Back—Devereux Hillburn, Jr.

**Score by Periods**  
 Blind Brook 7 3 1 0 1 0 2-7  
 Meadow Brook 5 1 0 1 1 2 0-5  
 Goals—Blind Brook: Headen, Miller, Oliver 3, Peacock, by Handicap 1.  
 Meadow Brook: Lewis, Corey 3, by pony 1.  
 Referee: E. W. Hopping and T. Q. Preece.

## Sundials Defeat Hollywood Team In Outdoor Game

Tom Pilcher

Indoor polo made its opening bow in Los Angeles, California, on July 17, at the Horse Palace Show Grounds before an estimated crowd of several hundred people, under the auspices of the newly formed Hollywood Indoor Polo Club.

The Sundials headed by Bobbie Fletcher won over the Hollywood Club by the score of 9 goals to 8, in a very evenly contested game. For the losers Tom "Red" Guy was the high scorer with 4 goals to his credit.

In the second game, Vallencia nosed out the Centaurs by 8 goals to 6.

(Sundials (9))	Hollywood Club (8)
Don Howden (3)	Hector King (3)
Bobbie Fletcher (4)	Chuck Wheeler (1)
C. Huthsing (2)	"Red" Guy (4)

Vallencia (8)	Centaurs (6)
Bill Allen (4)	T. Turner (1)
M. Whiteman (3)	Tony Veen (2)
Harry Marrell (1)	Hershell Bonham (3)

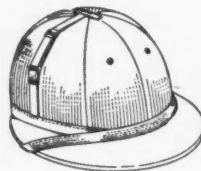
Referee: Sy Bartlett.

Time of periods: 7½ minutes.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

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Texas 4	0	Westbury 2	2
Blind Brook 2	1	Bostwick Field 1	1
Meadow Brook 2	2	Westchester 0	3

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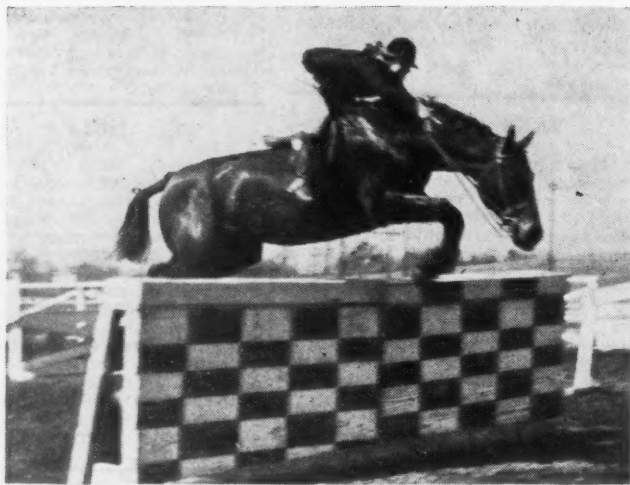
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Chestnut mare, 16, 9 years, a child's or lady's working hunter. She is beautifully mannered and a perfect hack. This mare is suitable to hunt or show in the working divisions. She was shown at 4 shows last season and accounted for 1 first, 1 second, 1 third and 2 fourths. Has not been shown this year.

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# Goldens Bridge Colt and Horse Show

**Jean Cochrane's My Chance Declared Working Champion In Well Diversified Program At New Salem, N. Y.**

Shirley W. Burr

Unaccustomed as we are here in this local to see so many mares and foals, the Goldens Bridge Colt and Horse Show gave us a real treat by devoting one entire day of their 3-day show, July 3, 4, and 5, to breeding classes. And well filled they were! Meadow Lane Farm in North Salem, N. Y. was the back ground setting for this holiday horse show. Thoroughbred broodmares were the first to compete with Miss Josephine Hanlon's Golden Reed (Polydor-Harp o' th' Winds) the judges' selection for this class and the reserve champion broodmare while the Dress Parade mare called Adorn, owned by the Tanrackin Farm, won the broodmare class with foal at foot which was by \*Hilltown. Adorn went on to win the broodmare tri-color.

The Joseph A. Hales' lovely Eastmas repeated her last year's victory for the championship by first winning in the hand class for 2-year-olds. The bay filly by \*Easton—Goldenmas retired the Goldens Bridge Hunt Challenge Trophy for the best colt or filly, after 3 successive years won by the Hale Stables.

Saturday afternoon was devoted to young hunters under saddle and over fences and competition was keen despite some of the worst performances put up by 5 and 6-year-olds jumping in the ring. Young Hunter Stake over the small outside course was about the same. Undoubtedly the reason for this is that many of these older colts and fillies have been performing over larger fences and are a bit careless over the smaller ones. Safety Call, owned by Mrs. E. Cooper Person, won the first mentioned class and the Joseph Hales' \*Glen Erin the second, but My Bill, winning the under saddle class for the 5 and 6-year-olds and placing well in all his other classes, was reserve champion young hunter behind \*Glen Erin.

Working hunters as usual were performing well over a rather unusual outside course. Considered by some, a fair test for a hunting horse, being up and down hill, big fences, steep banks on and off a dirt road, it did not encourage the amateur owner rider to ride his own which is unfortunate. A number did, with some trepidation. Some took spills and others, such as Miss Jean Cochran and Miss Patricia Kelley on their respective horses, My Chance and Lanikia, won their ways to the championship and reserve of that division. A goodly number of children's classes amazed us by the lack of suitability of mounts to their young owners. Silver Dust owned by Mrs. M. J. Carroll and ridden by Miss Joan Parker, caught our eye as he did the judges' by good performances and safe rounds.

The open jumping classes were

good. It is amazing how the same horses can go from one show to another and at some shows jump so much higher in the jump offs. At Goldens Bridge, there were several good classes when fences went 5'-0" and better. George Braun, riding Sterling Smith's Sun Beau, obviously out jumped the rest with a total of 30 1-2 points for championship to the next highest score of 18 1-2 accumulated by Krylon Sheik (formerly Sheik of Albrurae; formerly Easy Winner, Jr.), owned by Raymond Lutz.

The grey mare, Safety Call it seems is always shown in more classes at a show than any other horse entered what with both young hunters and seniors and always does well. Just missing a tri-color in the young division, she did take home the bacon in the senior by copping the hunter championship. Another grey, newly arrived in the north, February Thaw won the reserve title for his new owner Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill. The corinthian class, was unusually brilliant and Mrs. Robert A. Chambers won it handily riding her Copper Jean side saddle in this as she did throughout the show on various others of her string.

The show was a tremendous success exhibitors and judges were entertained graciously at the home of Mrs. Carlo Paterno with swimming cocktails and supper on the lawn and spectacular fire works Sunday night the 4th.

July 3-4-5

July 3

Broodmares, Thoroughbreds suitable to produce hunters—1. Golden Reed, Josephine Hanlon; 2. Bimbo's Rosey, Mrs. Sidney S. Gilbert; 3. Lenanne, Tanrackin Farms; 4. Sagacious, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo M. Paterno.

Broodmares, other than Thoroughbreds suitable to produce hunters—1. Wingover, Mrs. James A. Parker; 2. Persis F., Tri Color Farm; 3. Schultze, James Sculz; 4. Flying Rumors, Mrs. Georgette D. Jefferson.

Broodmares, with foal at foot, other than Thoroughbreds—1. Adorn, Tanrackin Farm; 2. Mintana, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo M. Paterno; 3. Chypre, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo M. Paterno; 4. Tompera, Twin Lakes Stud Farm.

Broodmares, with foal at foot, other than Thoroughbreds—1. Joan, William Ewing; 2. Lady Velvet, Michael L. Reda; 3. Elgades, Mrs. H. Clinch Tate.

Champion broodmare—Adorn, Tanrackin Farm. Reserve—Golden Reed, Josephine Hanlon.

Yearlings, Thoroughbreds—1. Ch. f., \*Prince-Quillo—Adorn, Tanrackin Farm; 2. Sea Sprite, Richard I. Robinson; 3. Gallant Beau, Josephine Hanlon; 4. Ch. g., Fairy Manhurst—Red Biddy, Mrs. John F. Farrell.

Other than Thoroughbreds—1. Ch. f., Glinobi—Misty Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Carlo M. Paterno; 2. Penwood Funky, Penwood Farms; 3. Scrida, Mrs. Sidney S. Gilbert; 4. Sally Forth, Willing Ewing.

2-year-olds—1. Eastmas, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 2. Elmo's Light, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Parish, Jr.; 3. Gin Riffle, Milton A. Diner; 4. Hilaria 2nd, Mrs. Sidney S. Gilbert.

3-year-olds—1. Ship Shape, Mrs. Charles Govern; 2. Persis F., Tri Color Farm; 3. Goldridge, Otto H. Henckroth; 4. Taffy Pull, Mrs. J. Blain Van Urk.

4-year-olds—1. Pitchblende, Vivienne Mitchell; 2. \*Ballinacurra, Tanrackin Farm; 3. My Gal, Mrs. Victor J. Sudman; 4. Copper Jean, Mrs. Robert A. Chambers.

Challenge Trophy—Champion—Eastmas, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale. Reserve—Ch. f., \*Prince-Quillo—Adorn, Tanrackin Farm.



Some years ago there was an iron grey gelding which Newton Mayo used to show in the open jumper classes and the pair collected plenty of blues. Now W. H. Sampson's Hi-Ho Silver has changed color a bit but with Tyler Kohler up, the pair won the jumper championship at Culpeper Horse Show. (Hawkins P.)

Model hunters—1. Glen Erin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 2. My Bill, Mrs. Hank Greenberg; 3. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 4. Eve's Bill, Ira F. Warner.

3 and 4-year-olds under saddle—1. Ship Shape, Mrs. Charles Govern; 2. Persis F., Tri Color Farm; 3. Pitchblende, Vivienne Mitchell; 4. \*Ballinacurra, Tanrackin Farm.

5 and 6-year-olds under saddle—1. My Bill, Mrs. Hank Greenberg; 2. Glen Erin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 3. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 4. Pocketmouse, Mrs. Charles Govern.

3 and 4-year-olds—1. Pitchblende, Vivienne Mitchell; 2. Cinderella, Ann Leigh Graham; 3. Copper Die, Mrs. Robert A. Chambers; 4. Taffy Pull, Mrs. J. Blain Van Urk.

5 and 6-year-olds—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. Bay Boy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 3. Glen Erin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 4. Pocket Mouse, Mrs. Charles Govern.

\$250 young hunter stake, open to 3, 4, 5 and 6-year-olds—1. Glen Erin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 2. My Bill, Mrs. Hank Greenberg; 3. Beau Geste, Eve Warner; 4. Bay Boy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale.

Green hunters—1. Pocket Mouse, Mrs. Charles Govern; 2. Glen Erin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale; 3. Sir Galater, Patrick McAleenan; 4. Sequoia, T. Arthur Johnson.

Meadow Lane Challenge Trophy—Champion—Glen Erin, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hale. Reserve—My Bill, Mrs. Hank Greenberg.

July 4

Working hunter pony—1. Promise, Carla Paterno; 2. Lady Boo, Milton A. Diner; 3. Silver Slipper, George Braun Stables; 4. Peanut, Ox Ridge Hunt Club.

Limit working hunters—1. San Tropez, Mrs. Charles Govern; 2. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus; 3. \*Pitchblende, Vivienne Mitchell; 4. Missile, Milton A. Diner.

Open jumpers—1. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz; 3. Happy Landing, Sterling Smith Stables; 4. Beau Mischief, Ethel Skakel.

Hunters, "open"—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. Granard, Rock Ridge Farm; 3. Pocket Mouse, Mrs. Charles Govern; 4. Sir Galater, Patrick McAleenan.

Lead line class—1. Ann Meredith Parish; 2. Toinette Tucker; 3. Sheila Dunn; 4. Kit Ashworth.

Working hunters, open—1. My Chance, Jean Cochrane; 2. Tip Toe, John G. Howland; 3. Big Bull Dozer, Richard I. Robinson; 4. San Tropez, Mrs. Charles Govern.

Maiden horsemanship—1. Joan Mickle; 2. Gerli Gahagan; 3. Llewellyn Ross, Jr.; 4. J. Andrew Armer.

Hunters, amateurs to ride—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill; 3. Wingover, Mrs. James A. Parker; 4. Looter, Jean Cochrane.

Novice horsemanship—1. Ronnie Mutch; 2. Jill Diner; 3. Peter Robinson; 4. John Mickle.

Working hunters, amateurs to ride—1. Big Bull Dozer, Richard I. Robinson; 2. My Chance, Jean Cochrane; 3. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus; 4. Lanikia, Patricia Kelley.

Open jumpers—1. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz; 2. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 3. Planet, Sterling Smith Stables; 4. Krylon Gilbert, Raymond H. Lutz.

Professional Horsemen's Association Trophy—1. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz; 3. Krylon Gilbert, Raymond H. Lutz; 4. Happy Landing, Sterling Smith Stables.

Working hunters, lightweight—1. Lanikia, Patricia Kelley; 2. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus; 3. Copper Jean, Mrs. Robert A. Chambers; 4. Redland, Richard I. Robinson.

Horsemanship, hunter seat, under 14—1. Ronnie Mutch; 2. Jill Diner; 3. Joan Parker; 4. Lynn Diner.

Working hunters, middle and heavyweight—1. My Chance, Jean Cochrane; 2. Tip Toe, John G. Howland; 3. Penny, T. Arthur Johnson; 4. Hydro Fashion, Albertus A. Moore.

Horsemanship, hunter seat, 14 to 18—1. Ann Skakel; 2. Jane B. Pollack; 3. Peter Robinson; 4. Gerli Gahagan.

Hunters, ladies to ride—1. February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill; 2. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 3. Looter, Jean Cochrane; 4. Sequoia, T. Arthur Johnson.

Children's hacks (small)—1. The General, Tanrackin Farm; 2. Lady Boo, Milton A. Diner; 3. Peanut, Ox Ridge Hunt Club; 4. Brandy, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Ashworth; 5. Promise, Carla Paterno.

Children's hacks (large)—1. Hunting Print, Sally Bondy; 2. Guamada, Ann Skakel; 3. Kitty Hawkins, Judy Lisberger; 4. Gypsy Queen, Ronnie Mutch; 5. Sun Meadows, Gerli Gahagan; 6. Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Ashworth.

Knock-down-and-out—1. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Planet, Sterling Smith Stables; 3. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz; 4. Happy Landing, Sterling Smith Stables.

Hunt teams—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus; 3. February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill; 4. Granard, Uncle Whiskers, Rock Ridge Farm; Land Ho!, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Parish, Jr.; 5. Looter, Jean Cochrane; 6. Fieldmaster, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill; 7. Missile, Milton A. Diner.

July 5

Small working hunters—1. Beau Mischief, Ethel Skakel; 2. Silver Dust, Mrs. M. J. Carroll; 3. Redland, Richard I. Robinson; 4. Tommy Tucker, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Callahan.

Open jumpers—1. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz; 3. Planet, Sterling Smith Stables; 4. Happy Landing, Sterling Smith Stables.

Working hunters, open—1. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus; 2. My Chance, Jean Cochrane; 3. Tip Toe, John G. Howland.

Hunters under saddle—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. Pocket Mouse, Mrs. Charles Govern; 3. Eve's Bill, Ira F. Warner.

Working hunters, ladies to ride—1. My Chance, Jean Cochrane; 2. Copper Jean, Mrs. Robert A. Chambers; 3. Hydro Fashion, Albertus A. Moore.

A. S. P. C. A. horsemanship event—1. Margot Moran; 2. Lynn Diner; 3. Wayne Ashworth; 4. Marie Schulz.

Children's working hunters—1. Silver Dust, Mrs. M. J. Carroll; 2. Meddler, Barbara and Emily Evans; 3. Missile, Milton A. Diner.

Open jumpers—1. Happy Landing, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Little David, Robert D. Adler; 3. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz.

Working hunters, amateur, owner ridden—1. Lanikia, Patricia Kelley; 2. Penny, T. Arthur Johnson; 3. My Chance, Jean Cochrane.

Working hunter hack—1. San Tropez, Mrs. Charles Govern; 2. Lanikia, Patricia Kelley; 3. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus.

Children's hunters—1. Silver Dust, Mrs. M. J. Carroll; 2. Polly Poll, Michael F. Drinkhouse; 3. Redland, Richard I. Robinson.

A. H. S. A. Medal class—1. Lynn Diner; 2. Jill Diner; 3. David Ellis.

Hunter hacks—1. Pocket Mouse, Mrs. Charles Govern; 2. February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill; 3. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person.

Corinthian hunters—1. Copper Jean, Mrs. Robert A. Chambers; 2. Penny, T. Arthur Johnson; 3. February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill.

Jumpers, open—1. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Little David, Robert D. Adler; 3. Planet, Sterling Smith Stables.

Advanced horsemanship—1. Lynn Diner; 2. Wayne Ashworth; 3. Ann Skakel.

\$250 hunter stake—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. Sequoia, T. Arthur Johnson; 3. Looter, Jean Cochrane.

\$250 jumper stake—1. Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables; 2. Happy Landing, Sterling Smith Stables; 3. Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz.

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Dewey Clatterbuck has ridden many outstanding entries in the show rings in the Eastern show circuit but at the Culpeper Horse Show, he had a different mount. When the entries lined up for the mule race, he was there and when the race was over, he had won. (Hawkins Photo)

## Thoroughbred Breeders



Walter P. Chrysler, whose North Wales Stud is consigning 17 yearlings to the Saratoga Yearling Sales. (Bert Morgan Photo)



Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloane's Brookmeade Stable is sending 7 youngsters, all by different sires, to Saratoga. (Morgan Photo)



P. A. B. Widener, III of Elmen-dorf Farm, who has 26 future racing prospects listed in the Keeneland catalogue. (Hialeah Park Photo)



The Walter J. Salmons, Sr. will have the pre-posing total of 40 candidates which will leave Mere-worth Farm for Keeneland. (Mack Hughes Photo)



Thomas Piatt and his son T. C. Piatt, pictured at last year's Keeneland Summer Sales. This year they will watch 14 of their yearlings go under the hammer (Mack Hughes Photo)



Mr. & Mrs. Leslie B. Combs II  
Mr. Combs has 8 to offer to yearling buyers, including 2 by Bull Lea. (Bert Morgan Photo)



Arthur B. Hancock Sr., whose "Hancock Night" used to feature the Keeneland Sales. However, this year his crop drew an afternoon session. (Mack Hughes Photo)



Mr. & Mrs. Danny Van Clief.  
Nydrie Stud has 10 top quality yearlings to go under the auctioneer's gavel at Saratoga. (Hawkins P.)



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# In the Country



## BEST 'CHASER

When Elkridge romped across the finish line two lengths in front of Tourist List in the Indian River in Delaware's last week of racing, he became the only horse to have won the famous classic three times, and more important to Elkridge and his boss, he definitely established himself in Turfdom's Hall of Fame by taking over the coveted spot held by Jolly Roger for so many years. After six years of running against the finest horses that are asked to go over jumps, during which he annexed the mythical title of "Steeplechaser of the year" two times, once in 1942 and again in 1946, the aged son of Mate, more affectionately referred to of late as "Old Elkie," earned over \$155,000 and his right to the title which his ever faithful owner-trainer had wanted for him, most of all.

Elkridge has always been a proud winner, and this was no exception. He strutted to the winner's circle for the presentation. Miller, as usual looked bewildered and frightened. That's nerves—many say he worried Elkridge right into his new title. But when they got back to the barn, he showed the old man that he really meant it. He put his arms around that handsome champion's head and had a darned good cry—just for old time's sake. His ever-faithful stableboy, George Miller treats him more like a partner—leaned on his pitchfork and dabbed at his eyes a little too. Very shortly the telephone rang down at Cool Springs Plantation in Camden, South Carolina, where Theodore Miller and four young Millers anxiously awaited news of the Indian River. When Kent had finished his report, I'm sure that they, too, sat down and had a good cry—and felt good all over.

To those who follow steeplechasing, the rest of the story is an open book. His first two starts were in stiff competition, the Jarvis Spencer at Pimlico and the International in New York. Soundly beaten in both Miller decided the youngster was being brought along too fast, so his next was an allowance race at Belmont. He came through for the pink and lavender in great style in this one, and Miller has been a proud owner from that day to this. A quick succession of wins in the big stakes brought him the Racing Form's "Best Steeplechaser" award in his first year of the big time and he has been a consistently great performer ever since. —B. H.

## SARATOGA JUMPS

John E. Cooper, secretary of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association and steeplechasing handicapper for New York, has some changes for horsemen in the courses at Saratoga for the twenty-four days of the meeting.

Committee members Pete Bostwick, Bobby Young and Louis Stoddard traveled up to Saratoga early in July and, in company with Mrs. Anne Clare, track superintendent, inspected the courses and suggested the changes which have now been made. The jump on the last turn has been eliminated on the steeplechase course, which will make two less jumps to a two-mile race, or 13 instead of 15, and three less, 16 instead of 19, for the two and a half mile course. The jump on this turn caused several spills the past year; the turn at Saratoga being sharper than the similar one at Belmont. The number of jumps now is more in

keeping with the same distance races at other courses. The last jump on the old course is eliminated in favor of the new one, slightly altering the angle of the finish run. The hurdle course has been drastically changed, with the far side, similar to the past, inside the brush course, but finishing outside the brush course. This will lengthen the hurdle course so that it will now be about one-mile around and also brings the horses on to better going.

## COBBLER HUNT

The Robert R. Kramers of Mass., have executed a contract of sale with Fred W. Sharp for the purchase of the Cobbler Hunt Kennels and property of 186 acres. Owned by former Joint-Masters S. Prentice Porter and Mrs. Porter, the property was offered for sale after the hunt had been disbanded. The Kramers are breeders of Thoroughbreds and dogs and will be a welcome addition in the community.

## GENERAL LEE'S GRANDSON

Dr. Bolling Lee, prominent gynecologist of New York, grandson of General Robert E. Lee, and noted Thoroughbred breeder of Virginia, died in St. Luke's Hospital Tuesday July 13th. As a contact surgeon with the United States Volunteers during the Spanish American war he became famous when he recommended that women nurses take care of the sick and wounded soldiers instead of the male attendants used at that time. He presented his argument through

## Goldens Bridge Show

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\$250 working hunter stake—1. Lanika, Patricia Kelley; 2. Hydro Fashion, Albertus A. Moore; 3. My Chance, Jean Cochrane. Conformation hunter championship preliminary—1. Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person; 2. February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill; 3. Pocket Mouse, Mrs. Charles Govern. Conformation hunter championship final—Safety Call, Mrs. E. Cooper Person. Reserve—February Thaw, Mrs. Joseph L. Merrill. Jumper championship—Sun Beau, Sterling Smith Stables. Reserve—Krylon Sheik, Raymond H. Lutz. Working hunter championship preliminary—1. Lanika, Patricia Kelley; 2. Catnip, Hugh Grant Straus; 3. My Chance, Jean Cochrane. Working hunter championship final—My Chance, Jean Cochrane. Reserve—Lanika, Patricia Kelley. Judges—Breeding division: Alex Calvert and J. W. Maloney. Equitation: J. H. Guitart and Col. W. H. Henderson. Hunters and jumpers: Alex Calvert, J. W. Maloney, Col. W. H. Henderson, J. H. Guitart and John W. Morris.

army channels until it was, finally approved by President McKinley. Dr. Lee had a lifelong interest in Thoroughbred breeding and at his death he had stallions \*Rosedale II by \*Teddy and Star Blen by \*Blenheim II standing at his Ravensworth Farm, Burke, Virginia.

## Chronicle Quiz Answers

1. A race horse whose true form is unknown outside his own training stable.
2. Clydesdales.
3. The battle of Adrianople, 378 A. D., in which the heavy cavalry of the Goths defeated the Roman legions.
4. No, the toe grows approximately three times as fast as the heel.
5. The bicycle wheeled sulky which replaced the old wooden high wheeled sulky. The former was invented in 1891 by Sterling Elliott who sent one to Budd Doble, leading driver of his day, with a request to try it. Doble paid no attention. It was, however, borrowed by "Pop" Geers, then a young man, who almost distanced the field in a race won by Honest George. Doble hastily recovered the sulky and with Nancy Hanks, in three successive years, lowered the world's record four and a quarter seconds.
6. Yes, about half as much again.

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## Brown Filly...

Okapi	Eternal	Sweep
	Hazel Burke	
	Oktibbens	*Rock Sand
		Octoroon
Katydid	Display	Fair Play
		*Cicuta
	Katrina	*Brown Prince
		Passing Shower

Okapi, winner of 13 races and \$36,250, is the sire of the stakes winners Kopla, Gannet, OKANA, Kewey Dee, Antelope, SAFE GUARD, etc.

Katydid is the dam of the winners Cambric, Celophane and Katy Lea, and is half-sister to Mokatom.

## Brown Filly...

By Jimminy	*Pharamond	Phalaris
	Selene	
	Buginarug	Blue Larkspur
		Breakfast Bell
Nutmeg Lass	Cavalcade	*Lancegaye
		*Hastily
	*Queen Herode	Tetratema
		Reine de Neige

By Jimminy had 9 wins, 4 seconds, 3 thirds in 21 starts, earning \$181,120. His first crop are yearlings this year.

Nutmeg Lass, a winner, is half-sister to the stakes winner Psychic Bid and the winners Guarded Queen, Royal Venture, The Damsel, etc.

## Bay Filly.....

*Princequillo	Prince Rose	Rose Prince
		Indolence
	Cosquilla	Papyrus
		Quick Thought
Step Away	*North Star III	Sun Star
		Angelic
	Georgia Rose	Sweep
		*Sea Mist

\*Princequillo won 12 races including the Saratoga Cup (New track record), Jockey Club Gold Cup, Saratoga 'Cap, Questionnaire 'Cap, Merchants' and Citizens' 'Cap, etc. His first crop are now two-year-olds.

Step Away is the dam of the stakes winner Elastic and dam of the winners Stepinthedark, Star Quest and Step Again.

## Brown Filly...

Pilate	Friar Rock	*Rock Sand
		*Fairy Gold
	*Herodias	The Tetrarch
		Honora
Glittery	Cavalcade	*Lancegaye
		*Hastily
	Light Brocade	The Porter
		*Brocatelle

Pilate won 24 races including Paumonk, Belvidere Hotel, Bedford, Polymellian, Pontiac, Defender, Himyar, Port Henry, Bay Shore, Tip Top, Waterboy 'Caps, etc. He is the sire of the stakes winners Eight Thirty, Stitch Again, Lovely Night, Platter, Phalanx and many other winners.

This is Glittery's first foal. Glittery placed in her first and only start and was retired early to stud.

## Bay Filly.....

Valdina Orphan	*Hilltown	*Blenheim II
	Stepsister	*Phaona
		*Broomstick
	Supremus	Rapture
		Ultimus
Grand Pageant	*Eastern Pageant	*Mandy Hamilton
		Grand Pageant
		Eastern Pearl

Valdina Orphan won the Derby Trial Stakes, Constitution 'Cap, Dwyer Stakes, Natchitotos 'Cap, Lecompte 'Cap, Narragansett Governor's 'Cap, etc. His first crop are two-year-olds. Sire of stakes winner BIG NOSE, etc.

Grand Pageant is dam of the winners Gay Bid, Gay Gazel, and the two-year-old Showy, in the money four times in four starts.

## Chestnut Filly.

*Rounders	Colorado Kid	Colorado
		Baby Polly
	Short Run	Foxlane
		How's That
Star Bound	Haste	*Maintenant
		Miss Malaprop
	Journey's End	*Spanish Prince
		Miss Marcella

\*Rounders won all of his five starts in Ireland at two. Here he won four out of nine starts including Arlington 'Cap (beating Whirlaway, Startor, etc.) and King Philip 'Cap.

Star Bound has had only one foal to start, who was second (close) to winner at Belmont. Star Bound never started because of foot injury, but is out of the good winner Journey's End.

## Bay Filly.....

Star Beacon	*Blenheim II	Blandford
	Fair Star	Malva
		*Wrack
	*Gine	Etoile Filante
Bright Destiny		Tetratema
	Sun Destiny	Teresina
		*Sun Briar
		*Phaona

Star Beacon won at 1 1/16 miles in 1:43 1/5 and 3/4 mile in 1:24 2/5. Was second in Saranac 'Cap, third in Travers Stakes, etc. His first foals are now two-year olds and among them the winners High n'Mighty and Holly Star.

Bright Destiny only started once and this is her first foal. She is half-sister to Lucky Devil, winner at two and three.

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# French-Bred Yearlings TO BE SOLD AT SARATOGA

**SIRES** of these yearlings are foremost French stallions such as **LePacha**, winner French Triple Crown, sire of Lutteuse, best 3-year-old filly of her year. Also, **Maurepas**, one of the leading French horses in 1940, 1941. In addition are the get of **Louqsor** (stakes winner and sire of stakes winners), **Boum**, (winner of 26 races including stakes), **Labrador** (young full brother to Le Pacha), **Magister** (winning French Derby), **Pougatchev** (stakes winner France and India, sire of numerous winners), **Deux Pour Cent** (winner of the Grand Prix de Paris, son of Deiri, sire of Bey, the winner of the 1948 French Derby), **Cidre Mousseux** (winner 10 races), and **Norseman** (won Prix Daru-Noailles, beating the famous Marsyas—and other stakes).

CICAS.....	Cidre Mousseux.....	Bubbles
ch. c., 1947		Harvest Queen
	Castagnette.....	Pons Asinorum
		Catalpa

From a winning daughter of Catalpa—dam of six winners.

POUGHID.....	Pougatchev.....	Town Guard
by c., 1947	Anahid.....	Rayonnante
		Dominion
		Annarella

Out of a stakes winning dam of six winners—one stakes winner.

DEUX MOULINS.....	Deux Pour Cent.....	Deiri
by c., 1947	Massinnelia.....	Dix Pour Cent
		Massine
		Analogie

Out of 100 per cent producer—all foals of winners.

BOULOGNE.....	Boum.....	Massine
by c., 1947	Blue Ribbon.....	Macestar
		Firdaussi
		Blue Bell

First foal of daughter of Blue Bell—one of the best of her year.

KACHA.....	Le Pacha.....	Biribi
br. c., 1947	Klinzy.....	Advertencia
		Sirtam
		Kettering

Son of Le Pacha, winner of all seven French classics.

LA NAPPE.....	Labrador.....	Biribi
gr. f., 1947	Nappe.....	Advertencia
		Tapin
		Neptis

Out of Nappe, winner and producer of consistent winners.

NORSMA.....	Norseman.....	Unidwar
b. c., 1947	Matara.....	Tara
		Rialto
		Lybie

Out of a winner of one out of two starts.

LOUCETTE.....	Louqsor.....	Aethelstan
ch. f., 1947	Doucette.....	Lapis Lazuli
		Massine
		Larsy

Out of stakes winning dam of two winners.

POUGBAY.....	Pougatchev.....	Town Guard
b. c., 1947	Finsbay.....	Rayonnante
		Stornoway
		Helvia

From a winning producer of three winners.

MISS JUDEX.....	Maurepas.....	Aethelstan
ch. f., 1947	Bonne Combine.....	Broceliande
		Felton
		La Dame de Trefie

From a winner of ten races—dam of two winners.

SONATINE.....	Magister.....	Bubbles
ch. f., 1947	Serenade IV.....	Murele
		Dominion
		Dolly Varden

Half-sister to Sanari, one of the best fillies of her year.

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